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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

The accident on the Boston and Maine Railroad at Wells last Monday, by which one man was killed outright, another fatally wounded, and between thirty and forty other persons more or less seriously injured, adds force to the argument, and will tend to materially strengthen the popular prejudice against iron bridges for railroads and common highways. There is a growing feeling against them everywhere. That they are more unsafe than bridges built of other material is the opinion of the best engineers and disinterested builders. A list of calamities occasioned by the falling of railroad bridges in the last few years would show that nine-tenths of the bridges were constructed of iron. Accidents from wooden bridges seldom occur, while iron ones, especially in the winter season, are little better than death-traps. The building of them ought to be prohibited by State Legislatures.

Gen. Grant, it is said, has changed his views concerning the long-pending application of Fitz John Porter to be restored to the army, and now strongly favors such restoration. That is all very well, for Porter was the victim of an infamous conspiracy at the head of which was General Pope, an officer of very insignificant parts, but vain and vindictive, and has been badly treated by the government since; but Grant's reasons for change of heart are not so honorable, if they are truly given. He himself wants to get back into the army and on to the retired list, his chances for which, owing to some curious political combinations, will be greatly enhanced by espousing the cause of Porter, which he now openly advocates. Grant does not stand as high in the esteem of his countrymen as he did when he returned from his triumphant trip around the world.

The JOURNAL has never entertained a doubt as to the sanity of Giteau, and if it ever had, the testimony given by experts on his trial in the last few days would have completely dispelled it. He may have been, to employ a term used by the aesthetes, a little off his base at times, but no jury can conscientiously find that he was ever morally irresponsible, and not a fit subject for the gallows. As he will have to hang within a short time, it would have been merciful to him and economical for the government to have permitted a mob to put a period to his existence months ago.

Reports from St. Albans, Vt., state that the crusade against the rum-sellers of that town is about ended, the professed temperance people having themselves to thank for it. After making pledges to stand by the crusade they refused material aid, and even at last withdrew the light of their countenances from the movement, and it fell through without accomplishing any good results. The love of mammon was at the bottom of the failure.

As Woburn's Representative in the Massachusetts General Court this winter we shall be disappointed if Mr. Hayden does not materially add to his already enviable reputation as an honest, earnest and efficient legislator. If he does, then the JOURNAL will insist on his promotion next fall—perhaps to the seat in the National House of Representatives now so ably filled by Hon. S. Z. Bowman.

Perhaps it cannot be truthfully said that the *Medford Mercury* is eccentric, but it has convictions, and isn't afraid to stand by them. For example: on the title page of last week's issue we read: "Vol. 1. No. 55." Ordinarily fifty-two numbers make a newspaper volume; but the *Mercury* is not an ordinary newspaper, and it will put a thousand numbers into a volume if it wants to.

The Legislature of this State met on Wednesday and organized for business. Both branches elected the old officers. Governor Long sent in his message, or read it, we don't know which, on Thursday, and the same was duly and promptly published in the papers.

The average "independent" newspaper clearly comes within the scope of the law against "common scolds," and is liable to prosecution as such under the statutes of this Commonwealth.

Mr. S. B. Niles, the well-known and prosperous Boston Advertising Agent, has sent us a handsome calendar for 1882 with his compliments, for which we thank him.

LOCAL NEWS.

Quite a party went over to Lexington Tuesday evening to the German Fest.

The town appears to be full and running over with amusements at these days.

Mr. Marcellus Littlefield has returned from a pleasant holiday visit to friends in New York.

Mr. Frank Pierce has a very large and choice stock of boots, shoes, rubbers, etc., which he is selling cheap.

Next Sunday and the next, Rev. A. F. Bailey of Barre, will preach at the Unitarian church in this village.

The thermometers indicated one degree below zero on Wednesday morning—the coldest of the season.

At the 88th annual meeting of the Middlesex Agricultural Society held at Concord last Friday, Hon. John Cummings of Woburn, was re-elected its President for the ensuing year. Mr. Cummings takes great interest in the society, and has done a good deal towards its success.

If this cold snap has not made plumbers very happy indeed, then their looks belie them. They are all smiles.

The sudden death of Librarian Champney fell like a blow on the town at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

Outside of the village for sleighing purposes the Sunday night snow didn't do much. It blew about too much to make good slipping on runners.

Mr. A. Cummings's addition to his store is progressing as well as the weather will permit, and will soon be ready for occupation.

It is very easy to move snow soon after it falls, but if allowed to lay, soon forms ice—which makes our sidewalks so dangerous.

No Surrender Lodge, L. O. L., will hold their annual ball at Lyceum Hall, on Friday evening, January 13. It is expected to be an affair the pleasure of which will long live in the memories of those present. Great preparations are being made for it.

Division 3, A. O. H., will give their eleventh annual ball in St. John's Institute Hall, on Friday evening, January 13. The very best of music will be provided, and the affair is in the hands of a committee that never heard the word fail.

A large delegation of people from the centre will doubtless go up to North Woburn next Wednesday evening to see "Our Boys" played in the Chapel Course. Horse cars will leave there after the entertainment, and those who attend can get home time enough to go to bed just as well as not.

Last Saturday we were favored with a brief but pleasant call from Mr. Arthur Puls, editor of the *Winchester Star*, and Stoneham Independent. He is an affable gentleman, and appears to possess good parts for newspaper work.

Mr. Walter S. Cushing has accepted a responsible and lucrative position with a Boston firm, and entered on the duties of the same. He is a capable young man, with a good business head, steady habits to go with it, and will, no doubt, fill his new position square up to the hilt.

Burglars are working in Norfolk county and will soon be here—if they think this a good field for them; but this is to give notice that our people are well provided with firearms, and they will use them freely—the next morning after they are robbed, if they feel like it.

Our police notified some Boston officers recently to arrest a certain man represented to be in that city, and on Wednesday last week they took a party into custody who proved not to be the one wanted; but directly they found he was wanted in Malden where two warrants were in store for him.

Referring to the Warren Academy and its possessions the Woburn reporter of the *Tell* Globe innocently asks somebody to tell him how long after abandonment as a school it takes an institution to lose its claim to being one "for educational purposes." In view of the large amount of property which the proprietors of Warren Academy are said to hold exempt from taxation under educational acts, the question seems to be a pertinent one.

It has leaked out that the cocking main which took place here a few weeks ago was one of great importance to the profession, as it involved the merits of the most celebrated "birds" in the State. Had the police got wind of it early enough to have looked in at the windows they would have seen many prominent citizens who grace both political parties, and who are in their element when they can form a ring around a pair of fighting birds. There was considerable bad blood around which came near making a scene.

On Monday evening, January 9, Post 33, will give a grand dramatic entertainment at Lyceum Hall. The play will be "The Drunkard's Warning," and "Rough Diamond," both sterling good pieces, which will be put on the boards in first class shape. The receipts will be appropriated for the benefit of the Post, and for this reason, if for no other, the entertainment ought to be handsomely patronized. And besides, it will be fully worth the charge of admission, and more too.

The early organization of a Village Improvement Association is in contemplation by several of our prominent citizens who are deeply interested in the welfare of Woburn. Some time next week, probably, a meeting will be called to discuss the question of such an association, which, when held, ought to draw together a large number of our leading business men. Such organizations are quite common in this State, and great good has resulted to many towns from the influence exerted on business and the bringing in of new enterprises. Composed of like men the Village Improvement Society is a power for good in a town, and we hope something substantial will grow out of the present movement of our citizens.

The Silver Wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kenney, on last Sunday evening, at their residence 152 Main street, was an exceedingly pleasant social affair. A large company of the friends of the bride and groom of a quarter of a century were present, by whom the evening was highly enjoyed. They were treated to the very best and fattest that the land yields by Mr. and Mrs. Kenney, who never do such things at halves, and it would be drawing it very much indeed to say that the company were made happy and at home by the courtesy, hearty welcome, and generous treatment of the host and hostess. Many beautiful and valuable presents were made to the respected parties, among which we may mention a dozen solid silver spoons and ice cream knife, by Mr. John Miller, of Boston; a beautiful cake basket by Mrs. E. J. McElroy of the Seaside House, South Boston; a handsome silver syrup pitcher and holder by Father McClure; an elegant fruit dish by Mr. and Mrs. James Beley; a pair of solid silver gold lined salts, by Mr. and Mrs. Doherty; a large, handsome silver soup tureen, by Mr. and Mrs. James Dowling, of Boston; a very elegant ice-pitcher and cup by Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Kenney, Boston; a purse of \$136 from "Woburn friends," mostly in silver dollars; and to cap all Mr. Kenney presented his wife with one of Guild's best pianos, purchased by Mr. Green, of Woburn. There were recitations by Martin F. Curley and Timothy Sheehan.

It is reported that the prayer meetings at the various churches are being well attended this week, and that an encouraging religious sentiment pervades them.

The days begin to stretch out a little and true to the old adage "as the days begin to lengthen the cold begins to strengthen."

The present bright moonlight nights are favorable for sleighing parties and are thus improved by the young people not of Woburn alone, but others who come here to see the sights and have a good time.

In making mention of a finely painted room of Mr. Paul's last week we located it in his shop, whereas it is in his residence on Jones Court of Lawrence street. His shop is on Winn street.

Mr. James Pearson, Secretary of the Congregational Sunday School, was generously remembered by his good friends of the school on or about Christmas.

Sleighs were brought out on Monday morning, and some were heard to remark that it was pleasant to hear the jingle of the bells once more. This chronicler failed to view it in that light.

Sunday night was a boisterous one, and a nice one to contemplate from a point about three feet removed from a good coal fire. Considerable of the lightest kind of snow fell which was blown into heaps.

On account of the concert to be given Monday night next, the "Phalanx Associates" will meet on Tuesday evening, Jan. 10, at the Armory. It is hoped there will be a crowd out and organize a first-class company.

The police were on the lookout last Sunday for a cocking main. They discovered that it was at the old grease factory, so called, but now consisting of a dwelling, barn and out building, just off Green street, and owned by Hon. J. G. Pollard. The birds with their "poultry" left the building just as the officers got in sight of it.

Mr. Eli Cooper says "don't forget the birds this cold weather, but feed them," and we second the suggestion. He asks that the women "throw out their table-cloths after meals," by which we suppose he means that the crumbs on the table-cloths be thrown out for the hungry sparrows.

On Saturday forenoon Mr. Leonard Thompson reported to the police that his team had been taken from near the Lawrence schoolhouse. It was found later in possession of a lad named George Hooper, who said he found the horse in Winchester near the railroad and brought it home. Chief Conn investigated the matter and found that the boy lied "clear through," he having taken the team for a ride.

The 280th regular communication of Mount Herod Lodge, A. F. and A. M., was held in Masonic Hall on last Wednesday evening, and attended by the members with their lady friends. The occasion was the installation of officers by Wor. Past Master W. T. Grammer. The invitations were signed by C. A. Sweetser, W. M.; and Sparrow Horton, Secretary. We have heard it intimated that the occasion was a pleasant and interesting one.

The First Congregational Parish Clerk gives the following figure statement of what has been done by the society and Sunday School during 1881 by way of subscriptions to religious, educational and benevolent objects. The showing is a very creditable one, of which the members have a right to be full proud. The distributions have been as follows: The American Board of Foreign Missions, \$311.40; American Missionary Association, \$254.57; Woman's Auxiliary Association, \$100; Ladies' Social Benevolent Society, \$180; Ladies' Charitable Reading Society, \$200; Woburn Workers, \$80; Church Poor, \$378.92; Home Missions, \$73.41; Bible Society, \$40.00. The Sunday School of this church has raised by subscription \$537.16, and has appropriated the following amounts: City Missionary Society, \$10; American Board of Missions, \$120; Congregationalist Publishing Society, \$50; American Sunday School Union, \$50; Hampton Institute, \$70; balance on hand, \$275.16. The following officers have been chosen by this school: Superintendent, Joseph G. Pollard; Assistant Superintendent, E. E. Thompson; Secretary, James Pearsons; Treasurer, J. G. Pollard. The school contains 65 members.

Swift Brothers of Chicago and Boston, have about perfected an arrangement by which Woburn and neighboring districts may be supplied with Chicago slaughtered fresh beef at wholesale on sight and in any quantities desired. They have erected a building near the B. & L. R. freight house, 20 x 50 feet, two stories, one apartment of which, a room 20 x 30 feet, is a perfect refrigerator in which the meat is to be kept, and where it can be preserved in the hottest weather as fresh and sweet as in December. The refrigerator car which starts from the Union Stock Yards in Chicago loaded with "quarters" of fat and juicy beefs, finally fetches up at the door of a passageway in the rear of the refrigerator part of this building, where it is unloaded, and the beef hung up in its frosty and freezing depository. This room takes in a carload, about 130 "quarters," which are suspended on elevated iron tracks on which they can be moved at will. Some of these tracks lead into the office and weighing room, the whole arrangement being the perfection of skill and economy of handling. The establishment here is conducted by Mr. Felch, who will have his building completed and ready for use by to-morrow evening. In the meantime he is selling off a carload of fine beef from the refrigerator car direct from Chicago. Swift Brothers are doing a large business in this line. They have two gangs of carpenters putting up buildings all over New England for their markets, besides fitting up many ocean steamers to carry their meat to foreign ports. Mr. William Bennett is boss of the gang of men and work here. The amount of beef shipped to this point will, of course, depend on the demand for it. The supply is unlimited, but the problem of demand has yet to be determined. Just how our people will "take to it" remains to be seen. One thing seems clear, and that is better brought to us in this way must be of better quality than that brought on the hoof, and if it can be furnished cheaper the question of demand will not be hard to settle.

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There are cases of diphtheria in town, some severe ones.

The Public Library will not be opened to-morrow.

The price of season tickets for the balance of the Star Course has been reduced to one dollar.

The pluckiest man we have heard of lately is the one who, solitary and alone, is to be seen daily at work on the Mystic Valley Railroad.

Mr. Charles M. Munroe has engaged Webster Woodman as clerk in his clothing store—a good choice, for he is a business young man, well known in this community, and popular.

The Shakespeare class, in charge of Theodore D. Weld, will begin in Unitarian church parlor, Monday evening at 7:30. First study, King Lear: \$3.00 for twelve lessons.

Poster Cutter is fairly running over with business these days. He don't admire it overly much, but it brings shingles to his coffers, and so the arctic wave don't faze him a cent's worth.

On Wednesday morning Nathaniel Butters of Burlington was found dead by the side of the road in Lexington. He had been visiting friends and it is supposed he was overcome by the cold and fell where he was found.

Mr. Arthur Wilkinson of Frederickton, N. B., has been visiting his brother and family in Woburn during the last few days, and taking in "The Hub" generally. At present he is Superintendent of Schools at St. Andrews, N. B., but expects ere long to enter the Harvard Medical School.

Messrs. Bryant & King have kindly consented to the introduction of a fire alarm into their factory, and to sound the gong on all occasions of a fire. They do this too, without expense to the Fire Department, which certainly seems to be a very generous thing on their part.

From date henceforth until further notice the dry goods and jewelry stores of this village will close on Thursday evening at 6 o'clock by agreement. Thus on two evenings in the week—Wednesday (from time immemorial) and Thursday—and the people will be governed accordingly.

"Penelope," which had Lyceum Hall for this evening, has been postponed on account of the bereavement in the family of Mrs. Clough-Thimney, the leading character, occasioned by the melancholy death of her uncle, George M. Champney. It will probably be given Tuesday evening, Jan. 17. Full particulars next week.

The regular monthly meeting of the Selectmen was held in the rooms of the Board on Tuesday last. The monthly bills were adjudicated upon. The sub-committee appointed to confer with the Water Board respecting the tax for public drinking fountains, reported the price agreed on at \$200 each. There are seven of them, making a total of \$1400 per annum to maintain them. No provision having been made for this outlay, it was voted that the rate should take effect on April 1, 1882. Also to cut off all fountains except the one at the Common.

The annual meeting of the Unitarian Sunday School was held last Sunday. Officers chosen for the ensuing year were: Superintendent, Rev. G. H. Young; Assistants, Henry M. Aldrich and J. W. Johnson, Esq.; Secretary, Nellie Winn; Librarians, Winthrop Hammond, Harry Davis; Treasurer, Hammond Richards; Directors, Major Hall, Herbert Bryant, Mrs. John Winn, Mrs. Samuel Grammer. Whole number connected with the school, 176; average attendance, 134. Receipts, \$196.60; expended, \$174.04. Charities: Children's Mission, \$24.00; Sunday School Society, \$22.25; printing fund for the blind, \$18.87.

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The Star Course opened on Wednesday evening at Lyceum Hall with a musical entertainment by the Litemann Concert Company of Boston, which was met with a good house. As everybody knows Mr. T. Marvin Parker is the manager of this course, and on Wednesday he strengthened his well-earned reputation for furnishing only the best there is going when he has the principal finger in the pie. This opening concert was a very fine one—the best that has been given here within the memory of the O. I. In our judgment Bernhard Litemann beats them all on the violin; Fritz Litemann is not far behind; Edward Heindl is perfect master of the flute, viola and zither; while Carl Meisel, Alex. Heindl, and Henry Greene were at home on their different instruments. It was a grand entertainment. The next one will be given on Thursday evening next.

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Residence, Franklin St., Woburn. 36-39

noticed of the sad event by Dan. Cragin, brother-in-law of Mr. Champney, and many of his old friends repaired to the Library hoping that the reports had been exaggerated and that they might find the old Librarian still alive. But they were true and the visitors left. Mr. Champney was born in Ipswich, N. H., on March 6th, 1812, and educated at the Appleton Academy in that town. He was for many years a member of the firm of Champney Brothers doing business in Boston, where he had a large circle of friends and acquaintances, who will learn with deep sorrow his sudden death and sincerely mourn his loss. He had resided in Woburn about thirty years, and during all that time no citizen of the town enjoyed a larger measure of public confidence and esteem than he. For years he was an active member of the Woburn Library Committee, and has discharged the duties of Librarian with great fidelity and to the entire satisfaction of the public, having been by taste, habit and education peculiarly fitted for the position. He was a gentleman of scholarly instincts and attainments; a lover of books; a pleasing writer; and an active earnest promoter of education among the people. Mr. Champney's frequent contributions of "Library Notes," and literary correspondence with Mr. Castleton of Woburn, England, to the *Journal*, have been very interesting and valuable, and highly relished by the reading public. Of the correspondence with his English friend above mentioned he had prepared an article which was to have been printed in this paper next week. Mr. Champney was a prominent member of the Unitarian Society, by the members of which his death will be deeply deplored. Besides which he has many warm friends in this village, and commanded the respect of everybody. He will be missed, not only at the Library, in the church, but on the streets, in the social circle, and wherever he was known. He was an upright, honest, honorable gentleman, whose place made vacant by death it will be hard to fill. He left a wife, one son, and two daughters, who have as examples of his community in their great bereavement.

The funeral services will be held at the residence to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

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WINCHESTER.

The Old Folks Concert by the Unitarian people has been postponed without day.

It is expected that the Water Board will have offices in Brown & Stanton's building.

Mr. Edward Harper is connected with Greenlaw Bros. and Carter in the provision business.

Mr. Edwin Robinson superintends a Sunday school of nearly a hundred pupils at the Highlands. He is doing a good work there.

Last Tuesday our schools resumed operations, and are now in full blast. Let me say to the readers of the Journal that there are no better schools in the State than those of Winchester.

Mr. Frank A. Patch will spend the winter in Florida where he goes in pursuit of health. It is expected that that balmy climate where orange groves abound will bring him out all sound.

I hear it said that the manager of the B. & L. R. R. does not propose to grant the prayer of our citizens for the 8.13 A. M. train to stop here. It would be a great accommodation if he would do so.

We have all got over the holidays, and feel the better for having had them. The schools have resumed their regular sessions, business has settled into the old ruts, and everything is quiet and serene.

This town regrets the removal of Rev. D. F. Sullivan from Winchester to Malden, where he will be permanently located hereafter. He was an earnest member of the priesthood and very popular here.

The Star makes a handsome apology for its implied strictures on the inactivity of our police. The most comfortable way to do these things is to be sure you are right and then go ahead. Our police are faithful and efficient.

Notwithstanding the snow was very light, very dry, and very much drifted, nobby turnouts on runners were seen on the streets Monday morning, and quite a good many of them. It is remarkable how fond our young ladies are of sleighing, especially with the right kind of companions. But who wouldn't be?

William Parkman Lodge, A. F. & A. M. have held their annual election and chosen the following officers who will be installed at an early day, or evening: W. M., George S. Littlefield; S. W., John D. Twombly; J. W., J. Herbert Dwinell; Treasurer, Geo. F. Parker; Sec., William F. Fitch; Board of Management for four years, D. N. Skellings; for two years, J. F. DeWitt.

The Star is determined to keep up its growing and fault-finding with Winchester and Winchester things. Just now it is the street lamps. By-and-by it will be something else. It is a mean bird that fouls its own nest, as I have had occasion to remark here and there while taking the Star to task for its waywardness. Instead of three long lights a dozen or so have been put up along Main and Washington streets.

The officers of Winchester Lodge, No. 556, K. of H., are as follows: Dictator, T. H. Stinson; Vice Dictator, G. A. Wade; Assessor, J. C. Boutwell; Reporter, H. C. Miller; Financial Reporter, J. W. Richardson; Treasurer, G. H. Eustis; Chaplain, E. T. Whitney; Guide, F. B. Weeks; Guards, S. Gove; Sentinel, G. A. Hall; Trustees, C. H. Danham, H. C. Miller, C. O. Billings; Representative to Grand Lodge, G. H. Eustis. The installation of these officers will take place on the second Thursday in this month.

Rehearsals of the cantata "The Flower Queen," which is to be given for the benefit of the New England Women's and Children's Hospital, has been interrupted by the severe illness of Mrs. Bailey, who has the music in charge. The cantata will be given twice in Harmony Hall, and although it is not yet possible to fix the dates, the performances will probably take place some time during the latter part of this month.

The cantata is a beautiful and pleasing affair, full of light and bright music for chorus and solo voices. The object is a most worthy one, and as many of the leading ladies of our town are actively interested in it, there is no doubt that the entertainment will be very successful.

Our respected townsman, Mr. S. C. Small, of the well known firm of Shaw, Apin & Co., Boston, is a temperance man clear through from centre to circumference. St. Albans, Vt., is shaken to its very foundations by an internecine war, the active forces being the prohibitionists and rum-sellers. The public houses have all been closed, business is at a standstill, citizens are arrayed against each other, and the end is not yet. To the temperance workers Mr. Small writes these encouraging words: "We notice the strictures of press correspondents in reference to your business interests suffering. We will say, go ahead, we sell and have sold a great many goods in St. Albans, and our agents stop there; but prefer to lose every dollar's worth of our trade rather than have the movement fail." These words have the right ring to them.

His Ignorance cost me \$150.00. I was sick about for three months. The doctor said I had Protruded Uteri, which was untrue. He didn't try to cure me, but wanted to make \$1.50 every day. My uncle is a druggist, and he told me to turn the doctor off and try Sulphur Bitters. I did so and five dollars worth of Sulphur Bitters cured me of general weakness and debility. Mrs. S—, New Haven.

NORTH WOBURN.

The next entertainment in the Chapel Church in this village will be given on Wednesday evening, January 11. "Our Boys" will be played with a good cast, including T. Marvin Parker and Albert Thompson, to see which a full house is expected. It will be a fine entertainment, if a sterling play and first-class talent can make it one.

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They say that Col. Tom Ochiltree has told the truth just once in his life. How they will slander a man!

Young and middle aged men suffering from nervous debility, premature old age, loss of memory, and kindred symptoms, should send three stamps for Part VII of pamphlets issued by "World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y."

(See Maine Law State Register.) We notice the following in an exchange: Mr. G. B. Haver, Foreman N. Y. & N. H. S. B. Co., suffered for eight days with terrible pain in the back, almost to distraction, until he heard of and used St. Jacobs Oil, one bottle of which cured him completely.

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If a man wants a bottle of whiskey, let him buy it and take it home like a man, and not sneak home with a bottle of "Bitters" or "Cordial," and pretend that it is medicinal. If he wants a tonic that is something better than a temporary stimulant, he should get a bottle of Peruvian Syrup (an Iron Tonic) that will vitalize the blood and give durable strength to the system.

Important to Travelers. Special inducements are offered you by the Burlington Route. It will pay you to read their advertisement to be found elsewhere in this issue.

"Female Complaints." Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.: Dear Sir— I write to tell you what your "Female Prescription" has done for me. I had been a great sufferer from female complaints, especially "dragging-down," for over six years, during much of the time unable to work. I paid out hundreds of dollars without any benefit till I took three bottles of the "Favorite Prescription," and I never had any thing do me so much good in my life. I advise every sick lady to take it. Mrs. EMILY RHODES, McBride, Mich.

Springfield (Mass.) Republican. Edgar T. Page, Esq., Druggist, writes us from Chicopee Falls, that Mr. Albert Guenther, under Wild's Hotel has used that remarkable remedy, St. Jacobs Oil, for a severe case of rheumatism and it cured him, as if by magic. He also used it with great success among his horses, in cases of sprains, sore, etc., and it cures every time.

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E. THOMPSON, Clerk and Treasurer. WOBURN, Dec. 25, 1881. 12

NOTICE. WHEREAS Phoebe Endicott, my wife, with our minor child, is living separate and apart from me without my consent and without justifiable cause, I hereby forbid all persons from harboring, them or trusting them, or furnishing anything to them or to any of them on my account, as I shall pay no debts contracted by or for them.

HENRY W. ENDICOTT. SOMERVILLE, December 19, 1881. 32-33

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For the Journal.
From the Army.
CANTONMENT ON UNCOMPAHGRE,
December 16, 1881.

Being a resident of your town, I thought

it might interest you a little to get a glimpse

of western army life. The place where we

are camped is a regular little hole, sur

rounded on all sides by mountains, covered

with snow the whole year round. We do

not live in houses, but little log huts plas

tered with mud. The life we lead here is

monotonous in the extreme, nowhere in the

world to go, as the nearest town is eighty

five miles away. There are no new faces to

see, except a few miners once in a while.

They are the queerest looking class of men

I ever saw. If they were East they would

be arrested for tramps, and they go around

here with every pocket in their clothes filled

with greenbacks. The scenery is beautiful,

sometimes you can see it snow away up in

the mountains two or three days before it

reaches this place. Our duty is very light

now since the Uncompahgre Utes went

away. About once a week we get guard

duty, the rest of the time nothing to do but

lie on our bunks and growl. The only privi

lege a soldier is sure of in the army is

growing and they use it to the fullest extent.

Game of all kinds abounds here, deer, wild

turkey, wild duck, sage and prairie hens,

jack-rabbit, and last but not least the deli

cious antelope. The garrison numbers four

companies of Infantry, each about fifty

strong. A few companies of Cavalry are

expected in the spring in anticipation of an

Indian outbreak. If they do come down on

us it will be all day with us, for the Indians

have made the mountains their home for

years. The Government sent them to Utah

last spring, but half of them couldn't or

wouldn't leave and still stay. There will be

pretty lively times here in the spring without

a doubt. The routine of daily life varies

very little. We get up in the morning at

seven o'clock, breakfast at seven thirty,

dinner at twelve, retreat at sundown and

taps at nine, at which time we have to turn

into our bunks and all talk is stopped. The

living cannot be complained of. The best

of beef is bought by the Commissary for

three and one-half cents a pound. Other

things are very dear though, for instance,

potatoes sell for seven and nine cents a

pound. Not having much time to spare this

evening, will have to close with my best

respects to my friends in Woburn.

E. S.

Co. H, 14th Infantry, Cantonment on

Uncompahgre, Colorado.

Fashion Notes.

Pale bluffs cannot wear gray.

Linen cuffs are things of the past.

Jet bangles remain in high fashion.

Puffs in the arm-hole are occasionally

seen.

Very long pile plush is much used in

millinery.

The most fashionable trains are long and

sharply pointed.

All the hosiery a la mode is in horizontal

stripes of color.

Wired collars become none but tall women

with long necks.

Red costumes, red jackets and red hats

are worn together.

Red silk pompons on gray and drab felts

are very fashionable.

Basques of moire, in black and in dark

colors, in blue, plum, bottle-green and

maroon, will be worn with skirts of various

kinds.

If you have got a big fur felt hat, don't

chum with a friend that wears a cottage

bonnet. The extremes don't meet agreeably.

The manufacturers of artificial birds are

determined to make a corner in the market.

They are to be worn as ornaments to the

evening dresses.

Fashionables, who a few seasons since

turned up their noses at velvet, leaving

it for third-class matter, will this winter

wear whole suits of it. Custom is a great

leveler of taste.

Painted fans are passed, and therefore

selling cheap. The newest thing in that

line is embroidered, each stick being moun

ted separately and having a flower upon the

edge, the sticks being of pearl.

Dancing dresses are made short enough

this season to display the elegant little satin

sandals, delicately hand-painted or hand

embroidered, as well as a bit of the dainty

silk stocking, a favorite color of which is

a pale peach-blossom pink, embroidered with

white rosebuds and white lilies-of-the-valley.

Another French fancy equal the vogue is

to wear rich white lace stockings over silk

ones of a delicate flesh-color, and with them

the arched Stephanie slipper of satin, fas

tened by French diamond buckles.

Receipts.

APPLE CAKE. Wash carefully two cups

ful of sliced dried apple, and soak in a little

water over night. In the morning chop half

of it, and stew all slowly in two quarts

of molasses till of a dark color. Take a cup

ful of butter, two cupfuls of sugar, two

thirds of a cupful of sour milk, four eggs

and two teaspoonfuls of salt, five cupfuls of

flour, a little of kinds of spice, a beat to

gether. Lastly, add the apple and two cups

ful of chopped raisins. Bake in loaves

two or three hours. Two large loaves or

three small ones.

MOLASSES COOKIES. Two cups and one

half of hot molasses, one cup of shortening

(half butter and half lard), one teaspoon

ful of ginger and one of cinnamon; dis

solve two teaspoonfuls of saleratus in a cup

of lukewarm water and throw in as quickly

as possible; add some flour and stir a few

minutes as you would soft cake, then add

more flour; mix as soft as you can con

veniently and roll out.

ENGLISH PLUM PUDDING. One pound of

raisins, stoned; one pound currants; three

fourths pound suet, chopped fine; three

eggs; one coffee cup sugar; one teaspoonful

of soda; a little nutmeg and salt; moisten

with milk and add flour to mix soft; tie in a

bag, leaving room to swell, and boil from

three to four hours. Add spice if needed,

and serve with sauce.

A fashion magazine says: "Steel trim

mings are no longer the style." That set

tles it. Lay aside your

The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, JANUARY 13, 1882.

THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of S. Horton, 108 Main Street, E. Robb, 148 Main Street, A. P. Cutler, Cummingsville, J. P. Tyler, North Woburn, Cooper's News Stand at the Centre Depot, and at G. F. Brown's, Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

VILLAGE IMPROVEMENT.

The fashion of organizing "Village Improvement Societies" which prevails quite generally in New England towns may be thought by our business men to be unnecessary in Woburn, and perhaps they have the right of it, though we cannot agree with their view of the case. To be sure our town is prosperous, thrifty, growing in business population and wealth, but it may be made to increase in these important particulars much more rapidly than at its present pace by such organized effort as is put forth in many other towns with the very best results.

Space forbids particularizing the ways and means by which a town may be benefited by the association of leading and influential men with a view to public good, for they are numerous and various, and will readily suggest themselves to any one who will give the subject the attention it deserves. It is a well known fact, however, that many Massachusetts towns owe their awakening from sleep, their first start in real business activity, and their subsequent prosperity to the influence and labors of "Village Improvement Societies," and we can see no reason why the material interests of Woburn may not be largely advanced by such an organization, providing our prominent and active citizens will take hold of it.

We learn that a society of this kind is in contemplation here, and that steps have already been taken for the early formation of one. We believe it is a move in the right direction, and one worthy the countenance and encouragement of our best citizens, especially of our active business men.

The outlook for a fight of considerable magnitude between John A. Logan and Gen. Grant at an early date is promising. Hitherto Grant has had no doughtier henchman than Logan; but Logan has managed the case against Gen. Pitt John Porter and believes him guilty, and Grant's strange and sudden flip to Porter's side threatens a serious breach of friendship between the brace of gallant Illinoisans. Logan intimates that he will reply to Grant's letter in good time, and if he does the country will be treated to some vigorous English, although perhaps it may not be fired off according to the rules laid down in Murray's grammar.

E. D. Hayden, Esq., who represents Woburn in the Legislature, is Chairman of the Committee on Finance, which position makes him leader of the House. He is also on the Standing Committee on Rules and Orders, and the Joint Standing Committee on Expenditures. Thus our town, through its Representative, gains honorable recognition from Mr. Speaker, which would not have been the case if a less known and not so able a man had been elected in his place last fall.

Gen. Grants give as a reason for withdrawing from the Nicaragua ship canal project that he prefers to see how the Leopards and Eads schemes pan out before risking his money. He is getting more careful of his wealth as old age comes creeping on. But his withdrawal from the project is a good thing for Capt. Eads, though his plan for a canal seems in the last degree visionary and impractical.

Senator Hoar of this State secured a point last Monday in behalf of the woman suffragists by carrying through his resolution for a select committee to which all questions respecting woman's disabilities and woman's rights shall be referred. The female suffragists in the gallery at the time of the adoption of the resolution were quite jubilant.

On Monday last Gov. Long appointed Judge Morton to be Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the State, and in the course of a week he will designate Hon. Charles Allen to fill the vacancy caused by the promotion of Judge Morton. He has also appointed Caleb Blodgett, Esq. Judge of the Superior Court.

The presiding Judge in the Guitau trial has decided all the law points raised by the prisoners counsel against him, and it now only remains for the jury to follow suit, and the assassin will swing. Of this there can be but little doubt.

The country will regret to learn that Guitau cannot be hung until some time in April. At least such is the opinion of eminent Washington lawyers. But better late than never.

KIND WORDS.

The Woburn Journal has passed its 31st year, and retains on its subscription list the names of a number of the men who subscribed 21 years ago, which speaks well for the conduct of the JOURNAL.—Winchester Star.

The Woburn Journal was thirty-one years old Christmas, which is a venerable age for a country newspaper. But old age does not bring weakness to the JOURNAL, for its strength increases with its years, and its importance and influence with its strength. Our contemporary is one of the fixed institutions of Woburn. Under the management of Mr. Hobbs it is a growing success. We beg to tender congratulations.—Medford Mercury.

For which generous chunks of comfort we feel profoundly grateful.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.
S. R. Niles—Sec'y Exors.
Dr. Church—Cath.
Murray & Wiles—F. P. Swan.
Y. Nat. Bank—Statement.
Mey's "Penelope"—Local.
A. A. Clement—For Sale.
S. Horton—Poultry.

A scaphousen critic young man,
A diminished seventh young man;
An allusive phrase
Et crescendo a poco,
But still always cacophonous young man.

The catalogue of officers and students of Tufts College for 1881-2 is received, "and contents noted."

There was a slight fire at the Almshouse on Wednesday morning, the damage by which amounted to only about \$25.

Mr. Frank P. Corran, editor and proprietor of the *Grattan Echo*, is about to embark in mercantile pursuits. Success to him.

The smile that wreathed so beautifully the fair faces of the plumbers last week has entirely disappeared, and frowns taken its place.

On some trips this week the North Woburn street cars have worn snow-powder accompaniments. But so far it has been nothing near so rough for the street cars as it was last winter.

Emma F. Dow, guardian, has sold to Edward D. Hayden, land and buildings on west side of Warren street for \$4,500. John M. Harlow has sold to J. B. DeLoria, land and buildings on Academy Hill for \$1,100.

No ice weather yet this winter. The Pickeringers put in one day on Horn Pond, but the genial rays of the sun put a stop to operations, and the ice men mourned. But there is time enough yet to get all the ice that will be wanted next summer, and no fears need be entertained of a scarcity.

Our esteemed friend, Mr. Mark Allen, permits his thoughts to dwell somewhat on the next Town Meeting, and can tell to a day, without referring to the almanac, when it is to be held. This may, or may not, indicate that Mr. Allen is expecting something substantial at the hands of the sovereign people.

From all accounts the annual supper given by the Congregational Ladies' Reading Society in the church parlors last Tuesday evening was one of great social and gastronomic pleasure. About three hundred persons sat down to the tables, which were under the able superintendence of Mrs. G. R. Gage.

There has been weather enough this week to suit the most fastidious. Sunday evening it rained; Monday was a spring day; Tuesday only a little less vernal than Monday; Wednesday it snowed, and drizzled and did all sorts of disagreeable things; and the weather of the balance of the week must go unrecorded.

Considering the spread of smallpox all over the country it behooves the people of Woburn to see to it that vaccination is thoroughly employed as a safeguard against its appearance here. It is the only sure preventive, and if parents will not have themselves and children inoculated, the town authorities should see that it is done. We want no smallpox here this winter.

Some thirty applications have been made for the office of Librarian made vacant by the death of Mr. Champney. And this though the salary is but \$1200 per annum. It is probable that no appointment of Librarian will be made, but that the former Assistant, Miss Pollard, will be promoted, and the Library Committee attend to the purchase of books, etc. This, we should think, would give better satisfaction than any other course, for Miss Pollard is abundantly capable of performing the duties of the position, and at the same time is deserving of promotion and larger pay.

A preliminary meeting will be held in Grand Army Hall next Monday evening to consider the matter of organizing a Trade and Improvement Association, to which the business men and all interested in the progress and prosperity of Woburn are respectfully invited. It is to be hoped the meeting will be a large one, for the matter to be discussed and canvassed is of the first importance to the interests of the town. It is not proposed to organize on Monday evening, but to get an expression of the people on the subject, and if favorable, to take steps towards the immediate formation of the society.

The Unitarian Ladies' Benevolent Society held their annual election last week, and chose the following officers for the year to follow: Mrs. P. L. Converse, President; Mrs. Charles W. Carwell, Vice President; Mrs. Nathan Wyman, Secretary; Mrs. Frank H. Clark, Treasurer; Madams M. T. Winn, R. C. Merriam, A. B. Brooks, J. Ramsdell, O. M. Wade, Samuel Leeds, Directors. In the evening of election day a social season was spent by the ladies in the parlors of the church, where a nice collation was spread and partaken of by about 200 ladies and gentlemen; besides which there were some good readings and fine music.

Hair-breadth escapes and heroic exploits are not much in the line of these columns, but a slight allusion to a perilous leap, that ought to have been printed last week, may not be amiss. The leap was made by a bold and fearless stoker on an engine that hauls human freight to Woburn; the scene being laid in the Woburn railroad yards; time, that icy spell we all enjoyed so much long since. The engine was coming in with its load, and as it approached the end of its run the engineer's efforts to halt her were fruitless—steam brakes, sand and the usual appliances failing in their important duties. As the machine refused to yield to its master's commands but kept moving on the stoker became very much alarmed for his personal safety, and began to cast about for means of escape. The situation grew no better very fast and the stoker's fears increased in proportion, until seeing that something must be done and that speedily if he wouldn't become a mangled corpse in an incredible short space of time, taking his life in his hands, he made the wonderful leap from the engine that he will always think saved the life of his mother's darling boy. And the engineer solemnly avers that the engine was making not less than three miles an hour when the feat was performed.

The snow of Wednesday made pretty good sleighing. It was damp and heavy and trod down in the most lovely manner.

Thursday was such a perfectly lovely too day that we revised our decision and couldn't help giving it a word of praise.

The First National Bank of Woburn has an interesting statement in this paper. The item of "deposits" looks pretty well.

The funeral of Mr. G. M. Champney last Saturday afternoon was largely attended by our citizens, among whom he has so long sustained a leading position.

No Surrender Lodge, L. O. L., will give their annual ball in Lyceum Hall, this evening. A great many tickets have been sold, and the ball promises to be a fine one.

Travelers between the Centre and Cummingsville will do well to note the change in the time-table of the Omnibus Line of Jones & Doyle to take place next Saturday.

The fine entertainments to be given by the Ladies' Social Benevolent Society of the Congregational church, on the 19th of January and 2d of February, should not be forgotten.

Rev. Mr. Horr of Worcester, who has been filling the pulpit at the Baptist church for a few Sundays, is liked very much by the church and people. He is an excellent preacher.

Woburn has four students in Tufts College, namely: Herbert Smith Riley, Winfield Scott Ward, Charles Francis Spear, Joseph Henry Hutchings. How many in Harvard we are unable to say.

Mr. Elmore A. Pierce, the popular reader, has established the Bay State Lyceum Bureau at 25 Winter street, Boston. He is the manager of the agency and is prepared to furnish everything first-class in his line.

Adopting the suggestion of last week's JOURNAL the people shovelled the snow from the sidewalks after the late storms. This goes a long way in the direction of encouraging honest, conscientious journalism in country towns.

The Woburn Mechanic Phalanx will give their forty-seventh annual ball in Lyceum Hall, on the evening of January 20. Edmunds' Band will furnish the music. There will be an extra train for Boston and way stations at the close of the ball.

We clip the following from the *Massfield* (Mass.) News, which shows that our good townsman, Mr. Keyes, is successfully engaged in his old work this winter: "Increasing interest is manifested in the revival meetings held in the Methodist church. Rev. Mr. Keyes is laboring faithfully for the society, and the members are ably seconding his efforts. Some forty persons are numbered among the converts."

The annual meeting of First National Bank of Woburn, was held in the Bank parlors on last Tuesday evening, at which the following Board of Directors were unanimously elected: E. D. Hayden, John Johnson, E. N. Place, J. M. Harlow, J. B. McDonald, G. Place, E. L. Shaw, Jacob Brown, and C. H. Brown of Stoneham—the old Board. The Board subsequently organized by electing E. D. Hayden, President; and John Johnson, Vice President.

Advertising is more profitable to merchants during dull times than flush, for it is then that they are most in need of the customers that judicious advertising brings in. The only exception to this is the summer vacation when everybody is away from posts of business and don't want trade; at all other times it is the part of wisdom to increase investments in printer's ink when trade is dull rather than to slack up because money is not rolling in like the waves of the ocean.

The Ladies' Social Benevolent Society connected with the Congregational church will give, instead of their annual fair, two entertainments, which from their character will be likely to be well patronized. The first will be given on Thursday, January 19, in the vestry of the Congregational church, and will consist of readings by popular elocutionists, and vocal and instrumental music. The second will consist of like attractions and given on Thursday evening, February 2. The tickets to both concerts have been placed at the very low price of twenty-five cents to allow all to share in the enjoyments of the two evenings. Tickets to a single concert will be fifteen cents. The proceeds of these entertainments are to be appropriated to benevolent purposes, on which account it is to be hoped that there will be a general turnout to them.

Mrs. Ann Campbell, a lady 72 years of age, arrived in Woburn last Friday afternoon, and went to the residence of Owen Collins, on Flagg street. In the evening Mr. Michael Doherty, her nephew, called for, and took her to his residence on Locust street, Cummingsville, where they arrived about half past seven o'clock. The family consisted of Michael and James Doherty and Mrs. Grant, their housekeeper, the Dohertys being unmarried. Michael went to his room about 9 o'clock, and Mrs. Grant, who sleeps directly over the kitchen, retired about the same time, leaving a light at the head of the stairs. At ten o'clock Mrs. Campbell went up to the room occupied Mrs. Grant. James got up as usual about half past seven o'clock on Saturday morning, and built a fire, and opened the door of the stairs to Mrs. Grant, to call her, when he discovered the body of Mrs. Campbell lying upon the stairs with her head against the door. He dragged the woman to the floor and placed her near the stove, thinking she was alive, and notified his brother Hugh, who lives on Elijah street. Hugh went for medical aid and secured Dr. S. W. Kelley, who found that the woman had been dead some hours, and immediately notified the police, and advised that the Medical Examiner be called. Dr. Winsor of Winchester being away, Dr. Abbott of Wakefield came as soon as summoned. After a very thorough examination of the body and the building, the authorities were satisfied that the woman had fallen down the stairs, which produced the bruises found on the chin and leg, and that the fall had aggravated the heart disease to which she was subject, and of which she had complained when she reached Woburn. The police were of opinion, early in the case, that the woman had been assaulted, but later developments satisfied them that it was an accident.

On Thursday evening of last week the newly elected officers of Post 33, G. A. R. whose names were given in the JOURNAL nearly a month ago, were duly installed by Capt. J. T. Wilson of Post 148, Winchester.

A grand fireman's ball is announced by the Gilcrease Hook & Ladder Co. to be held in Lyceum Hall on the evening of the 10th of February. As this is an event which has not happened for many years in the Woburn department great care has been taken by the company in securing the best of music, and making the necessary arrangement for the ball.

The recently elected officers of Court Unity, No. 8, M. I. O. F. are: W. H. Hensley, C. R.; George H. Woodside, V. C. R.; W. C. C. Colgate, R. S.; A. P. Barrett, F. S.; Thomas H. Hill, Treasurer; William Arnold, S. W.; Timothy Colman, J. W.; W. G. Brazer, S. B.; Thomas Mulken, J. B.; Messrs. T. H. Hill, M. M. Shaw, George A. Paine, Trustees.

The Star Course grows more popular with each succeeding performance. The Listmann concert company was a great hit; Riddle's readings last evening were very fine indeed and gave great satisfaction; and on next Wednesday evening "Our Boys" will draw like a six-ox team. It is one of the best plays ever put on the Woburn stage. The cast will be composed of: D. W. Bond, Albert Thompson, T. Marvin Parker (an old stager and manager of the course) E. M. Munyan, R. F. Poole, W. E. Hannum, Mrs. D. W. Bond, Mrs. A. W. Smith, Mrs. E. T. Marion, Miss M. F. Poole. It is a capital cast. Mr. Parker is entitled to thanks for the excellent series of entertainments he is giving our people.

On occasional Sunday evenings there is a service of song and praise at the Unitarian church which attracts a great many people. It is held in the main room of the church, up stairs, which, comfortably warmed and nicely lighted up, is a deal pleasanter than down in the basement and folks like it better. Our Unitarian brethren and sisters don't believe in holding the pleasantest part of the Sabbath services in the cellar-kitchen, so they open their "best room" to evening as well as morning visitors. The services consist of brief readings from the scriptures and classical writers by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Toting, but chiefly of music by the quartette and organist, which is always of the best. Occasionally very fine solos are admirably rendered by Miss Cary, the accomplished soprano, and Miss Lane, the no less charming alto, and duets, while Mr. Lucy's organ efforts are highly appreciated by the lovers of good music. These services are something of a "departure" here, but they are well attended and enjoyed.

The dramatic entertainment given at Lyceum Hall last Monday evening under the auspices of Post 33, G. A. R., drew a good house and was highly enjoyed by all present. The net receipts were considerable and went quite a ways in swelling the cash-box of the Post. There were two plays, "The Drunkard's Warning," and "The Rough Diamond," both popular and excellent. Mr. Thomas H. Hill was assigned the leading part in each, and the selections were judicious ones for Mr. Granville in "The Drunkard's Warning," and Lord Plato in "The Rough Diamond," were admirably done. J. H. Carton, as Edward Mordant, is entitled to a good notice, for he exhibited real dramatic talent in his part, which was well played and received. Mr. A. McDonald, in "The Rough Diamond," personated "Cousin Joe" in a manner that would have been a credit to any stage. Mr. W. White was also entitled to much praise for his good acting. Miss Nellie Sheehan, too, is a lady of real dramatic gifts, and as Louisa Mordant and Margery she acquitted herself finely. Her ease and grace of manner on the stage are very pleasing. Miss Bezzie Burns and Miss Jennie O'Brien were perfectly at home in their parts, and their playing was greatly admired by the audience. On the whole the entertainment gave complete satisfaction.

The world moves, and in the changes which occur in society as the years roll on, none are more marked than those which have taken place in the societies of the different religious denominations in our country. Fifty years ago we were permitted to attend church services twice in the day on Sunday, in a house not warmed, and occasionally a meeting in the evening, and if we were so fortunate as to have a live preacher, we might sometimes have a meeting on some week day evening. This constituted the whole religious services of the week. Now how changed! The evenings when some services appropriate to the house of worship are not held are scarce, and with open doors, the different sects invite all who will, to enter and enjoy the benefits there found. Our attention has been specially called to this by the pleasure enjoyed in attending the Annual Meeting of the Ladies' Charitable Reading Society connected with the First Congregational Parish last Tuesday. At an early hour in the evening the spacious parlors of the church were filled with one of the pleasantest gatherings we have ever seen. Representatives of various other denominations in this and neighboring towns were present as the bearers of fraternal good will and hearty sympathy from the societies they represented. The address of welcome by the honored pastor, Dr. March, assured all that stranger and friend were alike welcome. Good music, singing and speeches added much to the enjoyment of the hour. The heavily loaded tables spread in a style that showed that many of the fair sex with both the will and the ability to do, had succeeded in arranging the most bountiful supply in a manner so tempting that it was with no appetite for food could not resist the inducement to show his appreciation of it by indulging freely. Contrast such a happy gathering as this where friends long separated meet to welcome each other and recount the blessings of the past, and the changes time has wrought with the days when the cold and cheerless barn-like house of worship offered no appearance of welcome, and the idea of a meeting similar to this had not even entered the mind of the most zealous reformer, with the happy, cheerful faces, the comfort and convenience here found, and then tell us, if you can, that the world does not move, and rapidly improve too. *

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PIANO-FORTE
AND HARMONY INSTRUCTION.

MISS MERTENA L. BANCROFT,

Residence, Franklin St., Woburn. 28-39

The Mishawum Club have put a new pool table into their rooms for the use of the members. Good idea.

Mr. T. F. Swan, the well-known dealer in paper hangings, of 12 Cornhill, Boston, has one of the largest stocks and finest assortments of any house in Boston, and is prepared to sell his goods at the lowest possible prices.

The meeting of the Woburn Mechanic Phalanx Associates held on last Tuesday evening for the purpose of perfecting their organization, was adjourned to Friday evening at Armory Hall. A full attendance is earnestly desired.

Think of that! Mr. Charles M. Strout has sold over 400 Octagon ranges! Heretofore he has looked upon this range as perfect, but the "New Octagon" beats it all to pieces. He is selling piles of this new range. It is a perfect beauty, and the best there is.

Lewis K. Swan, a brother-in-law to Mr. T. Marvin Parker of this town, had his right arm drawn around a shaft and badly broken last Saturday at Troy & Maddock's tannery in Ayer's City, Lowell, where he is employed. He once had an arm broken while living here.

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Business at the Temple of Justice has not been oversteering this week: William Burdette of the Highlands, profane language, \$5 and costs; paid. James Deery of Cummingsville, assault and battery on his wife, \$5 and costs; paid. George E. Hooper, illegally driving a team; on probation.

The Shakespeare class started under pleasant auspices in the Unitarian church parlors last Monday evening. Mr. Weld read a paper of great power on the study of Shakespeare in which he evinced wide acquaintance with, and deep study of the poet. The play of King Lear was then taken up. The same play will be studied next Monday evening.

In the earliest days of Woburn it was called Waterfield on account of the numerous ponds and lakes in and around it; so stated Mr. Superintendent Pollard at the Congregational Sunday School concert last Sabbath evening. This must have been before the town was regularly christened Charlestown Village.

In early times the people of Woburn were summoned to worship in the old church on Meetinghouse Hill by blowing a trumpet or beating a drum on Rag Rock, or other near enunciation. If the thing-man should go about on Sunday morning now blowing a horn to summon people to church he would get heated into the pond in short order. But times and manners have changed in the last 240 years.

Attention is called to the professional card of Dr. Adeline B. Church, wife of Dr. Church of Winchester, in this paper. As will be seen her specialty is "Diseases of Women," to fit herself for which she has just completed a sixteen months' course of study under the most celebrated professors in Paris. She is a lady of talent, highly educated, and well up in the profession.

It is reported that another cocking main came off Sunday morning in Woburn, and that an ex-police man was the principal concerned in it. Woburn's reputation for this kind of amusement is extending.—*Bos. Herald*.

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C. M. MUNROE, WOBURN.

The town payroll for December footed up \$28,266.28.

An Astronomical Journal in 2534 will be printed next week.

It is about time to be looking for that annual "January thaw."

Mr. A. A. Clement has a good horse for sale. See ad. in this paper.

Mr. George W. Kimball is getting ready to build a double 2-story house for P. E. Bancroft on Franklin street.

Mr. S. Horton advertises some choice cockerels for sale as will be seen by his card. They are pure strains and good ones.

All the Woburn doctors use only the pure bovine virus obtained at the celebrated works in Chelsea, for vaccination. There is no danger from this.

In the corrected time-table of the Woburn and Cummingsville Omnibus Line, instead of 9.30, the hour of leaving C. on Tuesday, &c., read 9.20.

Please bear in mind that tickets to the entertainments of the Ladies' Social Benevolent Society are twenty-five cents for both, or fifteen cents to either one.

There have been only a few cases of diphtheria in town, and less now than a week or two ago. The health of Woburn was never better than at present.

Two grand dances to-night, and several other interesting things to attend to. If this order of exercises continues the editor will get to dissipating the first thing he knows.

Services in memory of the late Mr. G. M. Champney were held in the Unitarian church last Sunday. The Sunday School services too were of the character of a memorial. The deceased was a pillar in that church and Sunday School, and the impressive services in each were appropriate.

The following officers of Perseverance Division, S. of T. were installed last week, by P. G. W. A. James Nixon assisted by P. W. P. Cameron of Boston: W. P. Rufus Pickering; W. A. J. McDermid; R. S. Mrs. P. M. Layton; A. R. S. Mrs. O. E. Dorr; F. S. E. D. Layton; Treasurer, R. F. Ellis; Chaplain, E. B. Leach; C. M. E. Brown; A. C. Lizzie L. Angell; I. S. William Leathe; O. S. C. W. Dorr.

Arrangements for the Phalanx "Annual" are about completed, and are similar to those of past years, though a few changes have been made. The decorations will be on an entirely different plan, and supper will be served in the Masonic Banquet Hall, entrance as usual through the Bank Block. Indications point to a large and successful party, which is just what boys deserve if hard work and earnest endeavors to put old "Co. G" to the front is deserving of reward and encouragement.

The operetta "Penelope," which was postponed from Jan. 6, will be given next Tuesday evening, Jan. 17. A concert will precede the operetta, which in itself will be worth the admission price. Those intending to be present are respectfully urged to be in their seats before quarter of eight, as the concert will surely begin at that time, and it is desired to avoid the annoyances of slamming doors and heavy footfalls during the rendering of the programme numbers.

Miss Georgie Pray of Malden, violinist, and Miss Fannie Rice of Boston, cornetist, will each perform a favorite solo, besides a very interesting programme has been arranged from contributions of our best Woburn talent. The cast of the operetta will include Mrs. Phineas, Miss Etta Allen, Messrs. C. C. Shaw, S. F. Trull and H. M. Aldrich, who will render selections from *Faustina*, *Patience*, *Olive* (Torpedo and Whale song) and many other popular operas of the day. The back seats are to be raised.

On Thirty Days' Trial. We will send Dr. Jacobs' Celebrated Electro-Voltaic Belt and Electric Appliances on a thirty-day trial to young men and older persons who are afflicted with nervous Debility, Lost Vitality, etc., guaranteeing speedy relief and complete restoration of vigor and manhood. Also for Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Paralysis, Lame Back, Kidney difficulties, Hemorrhoids, and many other diseases. If not promptly restored, Adm's. Voltaic Belt Co., Marshall, Mich. 44-42

Married. In Woburn, Jan. 10, by Rev. J. Quayle, Cornelius J. Flynn of Holyoke, Mass., and Nellie M. Flynn of Woburn.

In Woburn, by Rev. J. Quayle, Augustus Lovett and Rosa Harkins, all of Woburn.

In Woburn, Jan. 10, by Rev. D. March, Herbert M. Scaver and Miss Minnie W. Roby, all of Woburn.

VACCINE VIRUS. The pure Lymph direct from the cow, and so certainly free from human contamination; Lymph once removed from the cow; Humanized Lymph from healthy infants.

DR. GEO. S. DODGE. 165 Main Street. Home Office: 107 Main Street.

Died. Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

B. L. & C. R. R.

From Boston to Winchester 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.10, 11.30, A. M.; 12.10, 1.15, 2.20, 3.15, 4.30, 5.45, 6.15, 6.30, 7.15, 7.30, 8.30, 11.20 P. M.

From Winchester to Boston 6.05, 6.25, 6.38, 7.05, 7.40, 8.25, 9.05, 9.10, 10.25, 11.45, A. M.; 1.25, 1.55, 2.55, 3.25, 4.05, 4.55, 5.15, 5.30, 6.05, 6.45, 8.40, 10.25, 10.30, P. M.

*Wednesdays only.

WINCHESTER.

Mr. M. Cushman's name is mentioned in connection with the office of Water Registrar.

The ladies of the Methodist Society are talking of holding an icecream carnival at an early period.

Rev. Father Rhoades has taken the place made vacant by the removal of the old pastor to Malden.

I am informed on good authority that the Star is well patronized by our Winchester people, as it deserves to be.

All Odd Fellows residing in this town are requested to send their names to Mr. Warren L. Knox at as early a date as possible.

A lad by the name of Langley was run over by a train here last evening, and had one foot cut off, besides being otherwise terribly injured.

There is a good show for the institution of an Odd Fellows Lodge here within a short time. A good many members of the Order reside here and near here.

Mrs. Bailey, on account of whose illness the production of "The Flower Queen" was postponed, is recovering and will soon be herself again. The cantata will be given at an early date.

Last Monday no session of the Mystic school was held because sometime between Friday and Monday a water pipe froze and bursted and pretty effectually deluged the school room.

Dr. Adeline B. Church, wife of our respected homoeopathic physician, since her late return from Europe, where she studied under the best masters, is steadily winning reputation and practice here and in neighboring towns.

Rev. Mr. Fielden, pastor of the Baptist church, is evidently very popular with his society and growing more so. My judgment is based on the golden favors of which he has lately been the recipient. Well, from all accounts he deserves his popularity, for they give him a good name where he is known.

At the annual Parish meeting recently held by the Baptists the following officers were elected for the year: Standing Committee—E. T. Whitney, George D. Morse, William H. Brewer, Clark C. E. Corey, Treasurer, E. T. Whitney. The Society is in a prosperous condition financially, and growing numerically.

NEW ORCHESTRA. We are happy to announce that a new orchestra has been formed in Winchester, composed of the following members: Edward Carter, first violin; J. H. Winn, 2d violin; Salem Wilder, viola; Dr. J. S. Plagg, flauto; Bert Kendall, clarinet; Mr. Cromwell, tenor; James Russell, double bass. We shall look forward to the performance of the orchestra with much pleasure.—Star.

Our town very much regrets the loss of one of its most prominent and public-spirited citizens in the person of Mr. C. O. Billings, who has moved to Columbus Avenue, Boston, where hereafter his home will be. He has recently been elected President of the Globe National Bank, the responsible duties of which necessitate his removal to Boston, although all Winchester people wish it otherwise.

The O'Connell Court of Foresters, No. 22, are making arrangements for their second annual ball, which is to be held in Lyceum Hall, on the evening of January 27 instant. Efficient committees have the business in hand, that of general arrangements being composed of D. Rooney, D. Sullivan, A. Raymond, J. Murphy, J. F. Holland, P. Noonan, C. H. Converse, P. W. Reardon, who have engaged the Medford Quadrille Band to furnish the music, and fixed the price of tickets at \$1.00, which are selling rapidly. J. Rooney is to be the Floor Manager, with J. Murphy, J. H. Maloney, J. F. Holland, P. Noonan, C. H. Hamilton, P. Noonan, J. McNulty and D. Shea as assistants. The ball is bound to be a fine one.

The Town Meeting held on Monday evening in Lyceum Hall to consider and act on Boston's scheme for purifying Mystic sewerage, was well attended. Mr. J. P. Ayer was chosen Moderator, and Mr. H. F. Johnson, Clerk pro tem. Mr. Albert Ayer, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, made a report of the doings of the Selectmen in relation to the subject in hand. Hon. A. B. Coffin made a report in behalf of the Board of Health, and gave it as his opinion that nothing could be done to stop the work of Boston until a nuisance had been created. Dr. Winsor of the Board of Health, also made a report which was favorable to the work of cleansing the sewage in the town of Winchester. The selectmen were instructed to procure if possible important amendments to Sec. 3, Chap. 303 of the Acts of 1881. J. H. Tyler, Edwin Guinn, E. H. Nourse, Salem Wilder, S. W. Twombly, E. W. Swann, J. S. Nowell, F. A. Loring, and S. O. Billings were appointed a committee to act with the Selectmen in procuring the above amendments. The Selectmen were authorized to employ needed counsel, and the Board of Health were instructed to continue their inspection of the sewage works and report.

INTERESTING ITEMS.

If a man really wants to know of how little importance he is, let him how with his wife to the dressmaker's.

Why use a gritty, muddy, disagreeable article when Hood's Sarsaparilla, so pure, so clear, so delightful can be obtained. 100 doses, \$1.00.

A philosopher tells us that every woman has during her life at least three offers of marriage. This proves that two out of every three men are born lucky.

Take Ayer's Cherry Pectoral to stop your colds and bronchial affections before they run into consumption that you can not stop.

A man in Chenango county, N. Y., is gradually turning to chalk, according to the physicians. The strangest part of the case is that he keeps his own cows, and where the chalk comes from is a mystery.

It is an established fact that Consumption can be cured; but it is far better to prevent the cruel disease from fastening itself upon the system by the timely use of a remedy like Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry. This standard preparation will speedily cure a cough or cold and even consumption yield to its great power.

Books, Books,

Silver Ware,

Jewelry, Etc.

We have added to our stock a large and fine assortment of Books, Silverware, Jewelry, Christmas and Correspondents Cards, Envelopes, Inkstands and Stationery. Silk, Lace and Linen Handkerchiefs in boxes and without.

We are giving splendid Bargains in LADIES' HANDKERCHIEFS and in KNIT GOODS.

EXAMINE THE FINEST CHRISTMAS STOCK IN TOWN.

A. CUMMINGS.

150 Main Street, Woburn.

The young man who stores his mind with old proverbs must become wise. For instance, he will learn that "An empty bag cannot stand upright." No one ever thought or believed it could, or ever wanted it to; but it is well enough to know such things.

[Louisville Home and Farm.]

Frank O. Herring, Esq., of the Champlain State Works, 251 and 252 Broadway, N. Y., reports the use of St. Jacobs Oil for a stiffness and soreness of the shoulder, with most pleasant and efficacious results.

Young man, if you haven't anything to say write it out in the form of a lecture, mount the rostrum, and your fortune is made.

To promote vigorous growth of the hair, use Parker's Hair Balsam. It restores the youthful color to gray hair, removes dandruff, and cures itching of the scalp.

A citizen of Brooklyn has \$10,000 invested in dogs. He is the envy of those poor people in the city, hovering on the verge of the almshouse, who are only able to keep three or four dogs apiece.

A GOOD INVESTMENT.—One of our prominent business men said to us the other day: "In the spring my wife got all run down and could not eat any thing; passing your store I saw a pile of Hood's Sarsaparilla in the window, and I got a bottle. After she had taken it a week she had a rousing appetite, and did her everything. She took three bottles, and it was the best three dollars I ever invested. C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass."

It is predicted that ice will be high next summer. What with high-priced coal in cold weather and costly ice in warm, life is hardly worth living unless one can be a dealer in one or both these necessities.

LITERARY NOTICES.

GOLDEN DAYS, published by James Elversson at Philadelphia, is a very large, handsome illustrated weekly for girls and boys, and will be found by adults an interesting and instructive magazine. It is filled with choice stories, sketches, short stories, poems by the best American authors, and meritorious articles on fresh subjects, the whole constituting one of the best weeklies for young people published in this country.

Important to Travelers.

Special inducements are offered you by the Burlington Route. It will pay you to read their advertisement to be found elsewhere in this issue.

News.

January 11.

Yesterday was a memorial one in the history of the Guitauz trial. Judge Porter made an elegant and powerful argument against the assassin, and Judge Cox decided that the court had jurisdiction, agreeing with the prosecution on nearly all the points raised.

Delano A. Goddard, editor of the Boston Daily Advertiser, died at 1.30 this morning.

Senator Hoar's dinner last night in honor of Judge Gray was the most brilliant affair of the kind that has ever been given in Winchester.

Siemens, Anderson & Co. of Pittsburgh have suspended; liabilities, over a million and a half.

The tariff question was discussed yesterday by Senators Bayard Beck and Morrill.

A fire at Denver, Col., yesterday, involved the loss of \$200,000 worth of property and the death of two men.

The first debate of the session in the House occurred yesterday, over the Utah contested election case.

E. L. Fuller, who was accused of shooting Melvin Whitman at Reedsboro, Vt., last August, was yesterday convicted of murder in the first degree.

Thirty cattle and three horses were burned to death yesterday at New Braintree.

A case has been decided in New York in favor of Yale College, involving the title to property in that city valued about \$1,000,000.

More aid is greatly needed by the Michigan sufferers.

Senators Bayard and Beck aired their free trade doctrines yesterday, the former very cautiously by reason of his Presidential aspirations.

The funeral of the late Chief Justice Pierpont of Vermont was held at Vergennes yesterday.

The Republicans of the Iowa Legislature have nominated James F. Wilson for United States Senator (long term) and Hon. J. W. McMill for the short term.

Jan. 12.

Hon. John W. Rowell of Randolph, Vt., has been appointed to the State Supreme Bench to fill the vacancy caused by Justice Pierpont's death.

The lawyers employed in the Guitauz affair appear to be satisfied with Judge Cox's ruling on Tuesday; the prosecution and defence each think it was favorable to their side.

Senator Dawes yesterday criticized the management of Indian affairs.

The annual report of the President and Treasurer of Harvard College are published. The financial condition of the college proper is not satisfactory.

The examination of the books of the Second Auditor of Virginia reveals a deficit of \$91,686 in coupons. His books are in a bad condition.

The Republican State Committee was organized yesterday for 1882. Hon. Charles A. Stott of Lowell, was elected Chairman and Col. E. H. Haskell of Gloucester, Secretary.

Capt. David L. Gifford, of the wrecked whaler Daniel Webster, has been interviewed at Dartmouth, Mass., in regard to the Herald Island case, with which his name was connected. He is at loss to imagine how the story could have been framed from the information which he gave Russian officers.

It was 34 colder at Chicago at midnight than at the same hour Tuesday.

Captain Kades is pressing upon the attention of Congressmen his ship railway subsidy scheme.

At the monthly meeting of the Harvard Overseers yesterday, it was voted to accept a fund for the medical education of women.

Ex-Secretary Sherman appeared before the Senate Committee investigating the Contingent Fund expenditures yesterday, and disclaimed all knowledge of any crooked transactions while he held office.

How.—In calling attention to an article advertised in our columns, we are pleased to notice an excellent sign in regard to it, viz: that the testimonials relating to Hood's Sarsaparilla are from New England people, and many are from Lowell, the home of the medicine. We are assured that the sale of this article in Lowell, where it is best known, is wholly unprecedented in the annals of proprietary medicines. We leave it with you to decide as to the probable merits of an article with such a solid foundation.

A daughter of ex-Secretary Everett made herself a favorite in Washington society, not alone by her snowy complexion, gray-blue eyes and golden hair, but as well by her cups of chocolate. The Mexican Minister used to say that in his own land no beverage was so delicious. It was made of the best already sweetened chocolate, broken and placed in a warm spot to melt. When afterward put into a farina kettle boiling milk was poured upon it, and from the moment the first drop of milk touched it until it was done it was stirred. It was allowed to boil for several minutes, and when it was served in delicate cups it was thick and almost jelly like, and was capped with whipped cream. This is the way that Baker's vanilla chocolate should always be prepared.

The first bill passed by Congress at this session, and the first to which President Arthur has placed his signature is the bill extending the franchise privilege to Mrs. Garfield.

What's Saved is Gained.

Workmen will economize by employing Dr. Pierce's Medicines. His "Pleasant Purgative Pellets" and "Golden Medical Discovery" cleanse the blood and system thus preventing fevers and other serious diseases, and curing all scrofulous and other humors. Sold by druggists.

It is written in the Talmud that "the world is saved by the breath of school children." It is evident that the writer of these words never sat in school next to a boy who grew fat on garlic.

I WILL NEVER!

Allow myself to suffer again what I have suffered for the last year. That vile disease Dyspepsia gave me no comfort. I could not eat or enjoy anything. The doctors amounted to nothing; nothing seemed to relieve me, until I used a bottle of Sulphur Bitters. Four bottles made me well.—Shoe Dealer.

There was great good sense in the boy who, on being threatened with a whipping, requested that he might be whipped in the Italian fashion—the light strokes down and the heavy strokes up.

A good Baptist clergyman of Bergen, N. Y., a strong temperance man, suffered with kidney trouble, neuralgia, and dizziness almost to blindness, over two years after he was told that Hop Bitters would cure him, because he was afraid of and prejudiced against "Ditters." Since his cure he says none need fear but trust in Hop Bitters.

It is spoken of as a rare thing that the person who transports the mail from Vergennes to Addison Vt., is a woman. Just as if transporting males were not woman's work from time immemorial.

Arrested!

Charles A. Dalley, was arrested last evening for stealing from the drug store of Sheffield, a bottle of Sulphur Bitters. Before the court this morning, upon being asked why he should steal it, he stated that his mother was troubled with Rheumatism, and that it was the only medicine that helped her, and being out of money and work was the cause of his stealing. As this was his first offense he was put on probation.—Newark News.

A bug bites an oyster, and lo! a pearl begins to grow. A bug bites the man who lives in a boarding house, and the forthwith consigns his landlady to the same place where Kearney sent the bloated bondholders.

Proof Everywhere.

If any invalid or sick person has the least doubt of the power and efficacy of Hop Bitters to cure them, they can find cases exactly like their own in their own neighborhood, with proof positive that they can be easily and permanently cured at a trifling cost—or ask your druggist or physician.

GREENWICH, Feb. 11, 1880.

Hop Bitters Co.—Sirs—I was given up by the doctors to die of scrofula consumption. Two bottles of your Bitters cured me.

LEROY BREWER.

"Does it pay to steal?" asks the Philadelphia Times. It does, esteemed contemporary, it does. It doesn't always pay the thief, but just think of the large number of criminal lawviers to whom it furnishes a fat living.

To Consumptives.

"Golden Medical Discovery" is a concentrated, potent alternative, or blood-cleansing remedy, that wins golden opinions from all who use it for any humor, from the common pimple, blotch, or eruption, to the formidable scrofulous swelling, or ulcer. Internal fever, soreness and ulceration, yield to its benign influences. Consumption, which is but a scrofulous affection of the lungs, may, in its early stages, be cured by a free use of this God-given remedy. See Article on consumption and its treatment in Part III of the World's Dispensary Disease Series of pamphlets, costs two stamps, postpaid. Address World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y.

GENERAL ITEMS.

It was the girl with the warship waist who had the most offers of escort home from the quilting bee.

The liquor dealers are forming protective associations. Now if their customers only had that much sense.

Lord Lorne, Governor General of Canada, sailed from Liverpool on the Allan line steamer Parisian, on Wednesday for Halifax.

There is a great demand for servant girls in Manitoba. Every housekeeper will immediately call to mind one or more that she would like to send out there.

The quantity of salmon canned on Columbia River last year was 550,000 cases of four dozen one-pound tins, or their equivalent. In 1880 the pack was 535,000 cases.

Gen. Burbridge of Kentucky, who is now in Government employ, having given publicity to his Union services during the war in his recent controversy with Blackburn, is seeking an appointment to a foreign mission.

Joseph Cropsey of Woodstock, Va., has travelled on foot through Maryland and the greater part of Virginia, in search of his children who were stolen from him by rippers a few weeks ago in Washington, D. C.

It is understood that Gen. Hawley and Gen. Sewell, of the Military Committee of the Senate, are in favor of sustaining Porter in some practical form. In other words, they coincide with Gen. Grant's view of the case.

A resolution reported from the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, calling upon the Postmaster General for information respecting all changes in the star route service made since March 4, 1881, was then adopted.

Each piece of the new outfit of decorated china at Young's Hotel is decorated by Mr. Richard Briggs when last in Europe, and is from the factories of "Mintons" and "The Royal Worcester." It consists of 20,840 pieces.

The extent of the manufacture of "pure olive oil" from cotton seed is indicated by export statistics from New Orleans. Of 6,000,000 gallons shipped thence during 1879-80 eighty-eight per cent. was sent to the Mediterranean and French ports, and one-half of this amount to Italy.

Charles A. J. Queckbörner of New York, a well-known athlete and surman, has been recommended for the medal of honor of the first class, he having proved that he has, within the last five years, saved 34 persons from drowning. Queckbörner is only 23 years of age, but was for a long time Master Surman at Long Beach.

The reason given by the colored man for not going too near the heels of a famous roan mule was so satisfactory that we can afford to adopt it as an excuse for not doing a great many other things. "De reason," he said, "telly I nebber 'broach dat roan mule from de rear is dat I'm too fond of my family and don't belong to no church, nudder."

Secretary Sherman's friends say that notwithstanding the charge that he used a large amount of Government stationery in his Presidential nomination campaign, the Treasury records show that the amount of stationery used by the Treasury Department was \$500 less the first six months of the year of that campaign than it was for the corresponding period of the previous or succeeding year.

In noting the comments of Southern papers relative to Mr. Blaine's candidacy as an Independent, the Woburn Herald says that there is now no difference between stalwarts and Democrats, since both declare in favor of the protection of every citizen in his political rights. The Herald says that the time has come for the South to go in with those who will bury the past and help to build up a new South.

Mr. Edward King writes from Paris: One of the engineers who has recently resigned his post as a director of the works on the Panama Canal, and who has returned to Paris, says that the whole affair is a speculation. He indicates that nothing has yet been seriously begun there, and evidently has no strong belief that the enterprise will ever be consummated. He is a gentleman who has been in the employ of the French Government, and it is not believed that his statements arise from any grudge or interested motives.

A Missouri paper tell of a farmer who owed Walt Perkins \$25, and had owed him for years. One day he met Walt, and said: "Don't be uneasy, Walt, I have the thing fixed by which I can pay you." Walt asked him how he had got it fixed, and the old granger said: "Well, Walt, if nothing happens, next year I hope to raise a good crop of corn, and I intend to trade some of the corn for a yoke of oxen, and I know an old man in St. Charles county that owns an old mare, and now, Walt, when I raise the corn and get the oxen, I make the trade for the old mare, and then I'll bring her home and raise male colts—and Walt, the very first male colt I sell you shall have the money."

A Lady Wants To Know

the latest Paris style in dress and bonnet; a new way to arrange her hair; Misses are expended by artificial appliances which only make conspicuous the fact that emaciation, nervous debility, and female weakness exist. Dr. Pierce's "Female Prescription" is sold under a positive guarantee. If used I do not, art can be dispensed with. It will overcome those diseases peculiar to females. By druggists.

"How do you manage," said a lady to her friend, "to appear so happy all the time?" "I always have Parker's Ginger Tonic handy," was the reply, and thus keep myself and family in good health. When I am well I always feel good natured. I am your elump.

MEETINGS FOR NEXT WEEK.

Y. M. C. A.—Praise Meeting Sunday at 4 o'clock led by J. H. Nason. Bible Class Monday evening at 7.30. People's

UNITARIAN.—Preaching at 10.30 A. M. Sunday School at 11.45 A. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock in the chapel at North Woburn. Wednesday: South Middlesex Conference at Chelsea. Thursday, 3 p. m., Woman's Auxiliary Conference in the church parlors.

BAPTIST.—Preaching by Rev. George E. Horr of Worcester, at 10.30 A. M. and 2.30 P. M.; Praise and Conference meeting at 7 P. M. Conference meeting on Wednesday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

CONGREGATIONAL.—The pastor will preach at 10.30 A. M. Young People's Meeting at 6; Service of song and Lecture at 7 P. M. The usual Meetings on Wednesday and Friday evenings.

SWEDENBORGIAN CHAPEL, EAST WOBURN.—Public service at 10.45 A. M.; Sunday school at 12.

MONTVILLISSION CHAPEL.—Rev. J. H. Mason pastor. Preaching Sunday morning at 10.45; Sunday school at 12; prayer meeting at 7 p. m.

CATHOLIC.—Services at St. Charles church Main street, at the usual hours on Sunday.

HOOD'S SARSAPARILLA

Has "decided" claims upon the public. This is positively proven by the immense good it has done to those who have been cured of diseases from which they have suffered intensely for years, as verified by the published testimonials, every one of which is a positive fact.

CHELSEA, Vt., Feb. 24, 1879.

Messrs. C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.: The 6th day of last June I was taken sick with a swelling on my right foot, and with an awful pain. The swelling went all over me. My face was so swollen that I could with difficulty see out of my eyes, and I broke out over the whole surface of my body, my right foot was so red and swollen, my fingers, hands, and my ankle and foot so sore, that I could not step on it, and it would run so as to wet a bandage through in an hour. In this condition Mr. W. F. Hood of the firm of A. H. Hood & Son, druggists of this town, handed me a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and told me to take it. I did so, and by the time I had taken one bottle I found that it was doing me good. I have since taken three bottles more. After I had taken three bottles my sores began to leave me, and I have been growing better every day, so that today I can walk without going lame. I have no soreness in my ankle and it has healed all up, and does not run at all. I owe my recovery to your Sarsaparilla. I write this to let you know that I think it deserves the confidence of the public, especially those who are troubled with humors.

Yours most truly,

J. S. PITKIN.

P. S. Every person that saw me said that I never looked so well as I do now without having a running sore on my ankle; but thank God I have.

Another Sarsaparilla has such a sharpening effect upon the appetite. No other preparation tones and strengthens the digestive organs like Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Price one dollar, or six bottles for five dollars. Prepared only by C. I. HOOD & CO., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass.

Dr. Adaline B. Church

Of Winchester, recently returned from Europe, has resumed practice. A Specialty made of Diseases of Women.

Office Hours: 8 to 10 a. m. (Fridays excepted); 2 to 4 p. m. 3-13

Report of the Condition

of the First National Bank of Woburn, at Woburn, in the State of Massachusetts, at the close of business, Dec. 31, 1881.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts,	\$521,121 71
Overdrafts,	69 43
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation,	200,000 00
Due from other banks and bankers,	27,970 15
Real estate, furniture and fixtures,	27,817 78
Current expenses and taxes paid,	1,762 08
Checks and other cash items,	1,432 70
Individual deposits subject to check,	9,530 00
Fractional Paper Currency, nickels, and pennies,	20 95
Specie,	1,900 00
Reserve fund,	10,000 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer, (5 per cent of circulation)	15,000 00
Total,	\$914,546 80

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in,	\$200,000 00
Surplus fund,	81,000 00
Undivided Profits,	14,258 82
National Bank Notes outstanding,	270,000 00
Dividends unpaid,	532 00
Individual deposits subject to check,	243,929 33
Demand certificates of deposit,	4,789 65
Total,	\$914,546 80

STATE OF MASSACHUSETTS—COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX, ss.

I, J. H. Green, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. H. GREEN, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of Jan. 1882.

JOHN W. JOHNSON, Justice of the Peace

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It will drive the Humors from your

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clean and smooth. These

impurities, pimples, and blotches

which mar your beauty

are caused by impure

blood, and can be

removed in a short

time, if you use

Sulphur Bitters. It is a

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Joe's Gone.
"Hain't you heard de news? Why, sah,
he's done gone dead. Yeh sah, bin dead an'
buried for a hull week. Dat's de reason he
didn't come aroun' any more wid his apples
and popcorn."

"What! your little Joe dead?"

"Dat's de truf, sah. Come home one day
all stuffed wid a cold, an' in twenty-four
hours we had him in his shroud. It was
awful sudden, an' I can't realize dat he's
gone. Las' night we found ourselves waitin'
in supper for him, an' in de middle ob de
night we wake up and find ourselves callin'
his name. It comes powerful hard on us,
it does, an' we can't speak of it without our
hearts swellin' up big 'bout to bust. He
was de only child, you know, an' we had
built up some powerful hopes on him."

"Joe was a good boy."

"Deed he was. He neber gin us one
hour's trouble, an' dar wasn't a bad ha'r on
his head."

There came a pause, and the old man
seemed uneasy. He started to go, hesitated
and finally said:

"You don't know nuffin' 'bout Heaben fur
sah, do you?"

"No."

"Well, has you got any ideas?"

"Yes, a few."

"You see, all de wimmin has come in to
console my ole woman, an' one of 'em says
dat de big grown up folks go to one part of
Heaben an' de chillen to another part. If
dat's true, den we can't gine little Joe when
we git up dar; maybe we can't eben see him."

Dat's what makes his mother take on so.
We's got purty old now, an' we'll soon git
de summons to go, but if de hope an' spec-
tashun ob meetin' dat boy up in Heaben can
take away from us, we might as well hang
ourselves in de woodshed."

"You need have no fears. Heaben is
not fenced off to separate de young from de
old."

"All piled in togedder?"

"Yes, and plenty of room for all."

"Will we know our Joe when we get up
dar?"

"Yes."

"An' he'll know us?"

"Yes."

"Dat's de way I hold, but de ole woman
she's kinder 'traid I don't know fur sah.
Say, boss?"

"Yes."

"Please do de ole man a favor. Take
your pen an' write down dat heaben ain't
fenced off, an' dat we shall see our little Joe
club by de pearly gates waitin' an' watchin'
to welcome us as we march in wid de per-
cussion. It will make de ole woman feel a
heep easier an' help her to ba'r up under dis
'fliction."

"The certificate was written and handed
to him, and he carefully put it away and
said, as he was ready to go:

"I'm a fousan' times obleeged, and de
swellin' of my heart has gone down over
half. It wrung us powerful hard to see dat
boy on his dyin' bed, but when we were told
dat he shouldn't be able to git to git up to
him in Heaben we was clean done fur. Day
to you, boss. Ize gwine right off home, an'
chirk up de ole woman wid de blessed news!"
—M. Quad.

Is it so?

(Ask Temperance Banner.)

The beer-brewers keep an agent or attorney
constantly at Washington City to look
after their interests.

He is the editor of the *Sentinel*, the or-
gan of the brewers. The *Sentinel* in a late
issue, says:

"The House of the Arkansas Legislature
having very foolishly adopted a prohibitory
amendment, our German Republican friends
made a great noise about that Democratic
State. We went to work among the Arkansas
Congressional delegation, composed of
sound and sensible Democrats, and to their
efforts it might be ascribed that the Arkansas
State Senate has rejected the proposed
prohibitory amendment."

We copy the above from the National
Temperance Advocate, and ask the question.
Is it so? This is a grave charge brought
against our Congressional delegation, and,
if untrue, should be repelled. The truth of
the matter is or can be known, and said de-
legation and our State Senators know whether
or not the charge be true. To them we
turn for a response.

Can it be that this important question was
kept back from a vote of the people by such
a chain of influences, the first link of which
is the organized liquor traffic; the second,
their attorney at Washington; the third, the
Arkansas Congressional delegation, and the
fourth the Arkansas Senate, thus reached
and controlled?

If the *Sentinel* told the truth, and our
statesmen are thus ready to obey the dic-
tates of the soulless Moloch in riveting upon
us and our children his galling chains of
slavery and death, it is time we knew it.

The *Sentinel* claims that this measure was
defeated in the Texas Legislature in the
same way, except that it was the house that
was thus acted upon.

People of Arkansas, the hou has come
when we must know who we trust for office.
None but the true; none but the sober; none
in complicity or sympathy with the liquor
league!

When a New Jersey editor is requested
by his wife to stop at the dry goods store on
his way home and purchase a spool of gold
colored cotton, he is obliged to first call at
a bank to ascertain the color of gold.

Two French savans have for a year been
keeping nine pigs in a state of habitual
drunkenness, in order to test the effects of
different kinds of alcohol, and it is said the
swine are none the worse for their twelve
months' tipping.

Bridge is a model nurse. The other day
while walking with one of the children, she
pulled it forward roughly by the arm, and
the child began to cry. "Sure, darling,"
said Bridget, "what is the matter with you?"
"You hurt my arm," said the child. "Well,
I never!" said Bridget, "American children
bade the devil for lyin'!"

"Let me go home and bear the blessed
tidings to my unbelieving wife," said a man
wearing a many-pocketed ulster, who had
just professed religion at a New Jersey re-
vival meeting. "Let me out! Let me out!
I've got salvation!" But a suspicious de-
fective unloaded him of three watches and
five pocket-knives that he had taken from
mourners around the anxious seat.

A Colonel Outrunked.

A man doing business on Woodridge St.,
took a colored man into his employ a couple
of weeks ago, and during the conversa-
tion previous to settling terms, he re-
marked:

"When you wish to address me you can
call me Colonel."

"Was you a Kernel in de wah?"

"No matter; you can call me Colonel, and
I'll give you an extra quarter per week for
so doing."

"Dat's all right Kernel—I'll aint dat quar-
ter suah's yer bo'n."

At the end of the week the laborer hung
around after he was paid off and was asked
if there was any trouble. He scratched his
head, hesitated and finally said he would ex-
plain himself Monday morning. When
Monday came the employer remarked:

"Now, then, Samuel, what is the mat-
ter?"

"Nuffin' tall, boss—trouble all gone."

"Well, what is it?"

"Well, you see, de driver of a coal car
down yere discovered dat I was callin' you
kernel fur two shillin's a week. What does
he do but offer me fifty cents to take de ker-
nel off of you an' put it on him."

"And you wanted to do it."

"Well, I kinder felt dat way, kase I ze
workin' for low wages, but I saw him Sun-
day an' fixed it all right."

"How?"

"I ze gwine to keep right on callin' you
kernel fur two shillin's a week, and I ze
gwine to call him general for seventy-five
cents a month! What shall I begin on this
mawnin', Kernel?"

He gets his extra quarter per week right
along, but he now addresses his employer as
"boss."—*Detroit Free Press.*

Trade or Race.

"Whoa, dar! Whoop! stan' still dar, will
yo? Am de boss hidin' away in dar?" de-
manded a colored gentleman as he halted in
front of the Eagle office and peered through
the counting room window yesterday after-
noon. "Am de proprietor of public opin-
yun lurkin' 'bout dis yer establishment?"

"What do you want?" asked a clerk, open-
ing the door.

"Whoa, dar! What yo' pawin' aroun' like
yo' smell de battle ober in Brushwick fash?
Dat's a powerful mule, boss. He done got a
record. All dem pints."

"That's all right. What can I do for
you?"

"Stan' still dar, will yo? Whoop! Quiet
now, or I will lam' yo! Got your trotter
aroun'?"

"What trotter?"

"Yo' big—whoa, dar, I tell yo! Yo' big
trotter, Tom Kinsella, wor writes dis yer
paper. Got him handy?"

"I presume Mr. Kinsella is upstairs busy.
What do you want of him?"

"I see he done won a hurdle race, an' I
'cloded I like foak to give him a wrastle
'um heat ter de park. Pull off his blanket
an' run him out. I ze got four dollars wor
says I kin beat him half a mile ter de Flat-
bush entrance."

"What are you talking about?" demanded
the mystified clerk.

"I's done gi' him a start 'um hear ter
Sands street, an' he's got ter heave mud ter
beat dat yer mule; now I's talkin'." He may
be all wot he claims on gettin' ober fences,
but dat mule can out trot him fer money.
Show him up! Foteh him down sta's and
pint him straight. I ze waitin' her him."

The clerk explained that "Tom Kinsella"
was a horse and who had no connection with
the Eagle, and that Thomas Kinsella was a
man who limited his racing and fence busi-
ness to politics.

"Pears like I was mistook," sighed the
disappointed colored man as he got into his
wagon. "I heard dat Tom Kinsella was a
streak on the track, an' I 'cloded I'd gi'
a turn wid dat yer mule. How much am
dis yer paper for a yeah?"

"Ten dollars," replied the clerk.

"Put down my 'scription for two days; or
ef yo'll make it three months yo' kin hab
dat yer mule."

"The clerk declined the offer.

"Den yo' kin tuck yo' paper in your ear!"
exclaimed the indignant darkey. "I don't
do no business wid a man wot won't trade
de. Git dar! stiddy! stiddy! Don't go
poundin' yo' hoofs on de cobble-stones,
wait'll yo' strike a dirt road an' den I'll
speed yer!"

Wonder what sort of a racket Mr. Beecher
is trying to work. He's been talking con-
siderable common sense lately.

Conscious guilt will help a man more than
anything else to argue against the Bible
and to prove that there is truth in religion.

"Are you feeling very ill?" asked the
physician: "Let me see your tongue, please."

"It's no use, doctor, no tongue can tell how
bad I feel."

"See her kiss that ugly dog," said one
gentleman to another in a horse car, in a
loud whisper, calling attention to a woman
who was lavish with her endearments of a
pet poodle. She overheard the comments,
and glowing upon the unfortunate man, said
in vinegary accents: "It won't hurt me if I
do." "Oh, I beg your pardon, madam, but
my sympathy was wholly with the dog."

Brown was abusing Smith violently on
the sidewalk one night. Jones, who heard
it from an upper window, yelled to Smith,
"Knock him down!" The next day Jones
and Smith met. "Why didn't you knock
that man down?" asked Jones; "I hollered
to you to do it." "Yes," said Smith, "and
I would have hollered the same thing if I
had been up there."

The reason—"How is it, my dear, that
you have never kindled a flame in the bosom
of any man?" said an old lady to her
niece. To which the young lady replied:
"The reason, dear aunt, is, as you well
know, that I am not a good match."

Miss K. had a nose which was perceptibly
retrousse, and when she went on a visit to
Johnny's one day the boy observed it. Af-
ter taking in the situation fully, he said:
"Papa, you said for me to wait till something
would turn up and I should have a veloci-
pede. There's Miss K's nose; now give
me the velocipede." What he got might
have been called a velocipede, because it
went so fast; but it looked more like a strap
flying through the air in the far corner of
the woodshed.

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5.30, 7.00, P. M.

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11.00 P. M.

Nashua, 7.15, 8.30, 10.15, A. M., 12 M., 1.15,

2.30, 3.45, 4.45, 5.30, 6.15, 7.00, 11.15, P. M.

Lawrence, 7.00, 8.00, 8.30, 11 A. M., 12.00, 3.00, 4.15,

5.30, 6.15, 7.15, 11.15 P. M.

Wilmington, 7.00, 8.30, 10.15, A. M., 12.00, P. M.

1.15, 2.30, 3.45, 4.45, 5.30, 6.15, 7.15, 11.15, P. M.

Walton Hill, 7.00, 8.30, 10.15, A. M., 12.00, 3.00, 4.15,

5.30, 6.15, 7.15, 11.15 P. M.

Stonham, 7.00, 8.30, 10.15, A. M., 12.00, 3.00, 4.15,

6.15, 7.00, 11.15 P. M.

Montvale, 7.00, 8.30, 10.15, A. M., 12.00, 3.00, 4.15,

6.15, 7.00, 11.15 P. M.

WOBURN CENTRE, 6.45, 7.30, 9.10, 11.30, A. M.,

12.15, 1.15, 4.00, 4.30, 5.10, 5.40, 6.00, 6.30,

7.30, 10.30, 11.20 P. M.

Winchester, 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.45, 10.15, 11.30,

A. M., 12.10, 1.15, 2.30, 3.15, 4.00, 4.30, 4.45,

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M., 12.15, 1.10, 2.20, 4.25, 11.30, 6.40, 11.25,

11.10, 9.50, P. M.

Lawrence, 6.35, 7.45, 8.25, 9.25, 11.00, A. M., 1.15, 2.15,

4.30, 5.00, 9.30, P. M.

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1.45, 2.42, 4.57, 6.25, 10.10, P. M.

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10.30, P. M.

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5.00, 6.20 P. M.

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12.45, 4.05, 5.20, 9.45 P. M.

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9.45, 11.35 A. M., 12.45, 3.20, 4.35, 5.05, 7.40 P. M.

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A. M., 12.05, 1.40, 2.50, 5.05, 10.10, 7.05, 8.10, P. M.

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THE DRAINAGE QUESTION.

We have received from the Secretary of State the Report of the Commissioners, appointed May 26, 1881, "to consider a plan for the drainage of the Mystic and Charles River Valleys and the immediate vicinity of Boston," and the bill submitted to the Legislature for carrying out the plans of the Report, which is now being considered by the proper Legislative committee. As the matter is of vital importance to Woburn, we give the gist of the bill, and the first section in full:

SECTION 1. That for the purpose of protecting and preserving the health of the people resident and being within the limits of the territory hereinafter described, and especially to carry out such purpose by the acquisition, construction, and maintenance of two or more main lines of intercepting sewers, the territory comprehended within the limits of the cities of Boston, Newton, Cambridge, Somerville, Chelsea, and Malden, and the towns of Brookline, Waltham, Watertown, Belmont, Arlington, Winchester, Medford, Woburn, Stoneham, Melrose, Everett, Revere, and Winthrop, be and is hereby incorporated as the Metropolitan Health District, with full power to sue and be sued, to purchase, and hold, for the use of the district, personal estate and lands lying within its limits, and to make necessary contracts and do necessary acts in relation to the property and concerns of the district.

Section three provides that within "nine months after the passage of this act said board shall enter upon and take possession of the sewer to North Island and works connected therewith, constructed and contracted for by the city of Boston under the permission of chapter one hundred and thirty-six of the acts of eighteen hundred and seventy-six, and shall pay therefor such sum as may be agreed upon between the city of Boston and said board, not exceeding the actual cost and liability incurred by said city on account of the construction thereof."

The remaining four sections provide the machinery by which the act is to be made operative, for the officers, expenses, reports, etc.

What the chances of the bill have for enactment we are unable to state. That some general system for the proper drainage of the densely populated territory embraced in the provisions of the bill is necessary needs no argument to demonstrate. That these towns need and will, ere long, have one must be clear to everybody. Whether this bill meets the case or not, or whether it is the best system that can be devised, remains to be seen. The statements and arguments of the Commission appear plausible, and possibly they have hit upon the best plan that could be adopted.

THE IMPROVEMENT MEETING.

The preliminary meeting for the formation of an Improvement Society held last Monday evening was a gratifying success in quantity, quality and spirit. A large number of our most prominent property-owners and business men were not only present but took an active part in the deliberations of the meeting and entered into the spirit of the enterprise in a manner that demonstrated their earnestness and determination to make the organization an important factor in the business progress and prosperity of the town. Our chief industry was well represented in numbers and character; the merchant class was also heard from, and other business interests had representatives in the meeting. They were all live, active, wide-awake men, whose co-operation is a guarantee of success.

Thus discourses the WOBURN JOURNAL, which allows its heart to get the better of its judgment. "Mob law" is one of the things which modern Republicanism has left behind. No one will begrudge the cost for the sake of the good name of our country. Republics are on their trial.—Winchester Star.

The Star is behind the times. Any fourth-of-July orator will tell him that the "trial" of the American Republic took place a hundred years ago or more, and that America won. Nor has "modern Republicanism" left mob law behind to any alarming extent. Judge Lynch seems to have his hands pretty full of business in these days, if newspaper records are reliable.

The terms of office of a large number of the officers of the Massachusetts Volunteer Militia having expired under the provisions of law as construed by the Governor, the command of the Fifth Regiment, Second Brigade, falls on Major A. L. Richardson of this town, who has assumed command in General Orders No. 1 issued from Headquarters, Boston, on last Monday. In the same order First Lieutenant Leon H. Batesman, Co. A., is detailed as Adjutant; and First Lieutenant Charles E. Halliday, Co. G. (Woburn Mechanic Phalanx) is detailed as Quarter-Master, of the Regiment.

The trial of Guitau, the assassin, is rapidly drawing to a close. Scoville, his senior counsel, has made his argument, and it was a very strong one; and all that remains are the closing argument of the attorney for the prosecution, the Judge's charge, and the verdict. Considerable doubt is felt and expressed as to what the verdict will be.

The Musical Herald for February is out at hand. It contains some excellent pieces of music, besides a great deal of fresh, interesting matter pertaining to music and music people. It is a valuable monthly.

The first item under the head of "Cambridge Society" in last week's issue of the Cambridge Tribune was a very neat and touching obituary notice of a prominent citizen lately deceased.

Petitions, asking the present Legislature, to submit to the people, for their yes or no vote, an amendment to the State Constitution prohibiting forever in Massachusetts the manufacture and sale of alcoholic liquors as a beverage have been sent into every town in the Commonwealth by the Mass. Woman's Christian Temperance Union. It is of the greatest importance that these petitions be largely signed, and all returned to this office, Room 134-36 Bromfield street, Boston, by the first of February. Use the few remaining days to swell the list of signatures and so help on the good cause. MRS. L. B. BARRETT, Sec. W. C. T. U. of Mass.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.
S. M. Pettigall & Co.—Cold Liver Oil.
E. N. Erickson—Plaster.
W. Hammond—For Sale.
P. O. Box 218—Piano.
Baptist Church—Festival.
J. M. Fisk—Shill's Sale.

P. O. Box 218 wants to let a piano.

Remember the Annual ball of the Phalanx tonight.

The fire on Cross street last Monday evening, did not amount to much.

The thermometers gave the cold at 10 degrees below zero last Wednesday morning.

Read the card "For Sale" in this paper wherein "Box 542" offers some bargains.

Building bids fair to be lively next season—in Woburn we mean. Quite a good many dwellings are likely to be built.

The late sleighing caused some very fine rigs on runners to emerge from the barns and take their places on the streets.

Venor has been considerably estray on weather lately. That is to say, according to the edition of his predictions that are furnished this office.

The snow on Monday night made capital good sleighing, and if the young people knew themselves they made the most of it and haven't got entirely through yet.

First Lieutenant Charles E. Halliday of the Phalanx has been detailed by Major Richardson, commander of the Fifth Regiment, as Quarter-Master until further notice.

Gertie Smiley, who has been peddling small wares about town, folded her tent and took the train for Boston without paying sundry little bills for board and such like, last week.

The figures for coal are pretty steep, but our dealers are not clearing so large a percent on it as they did when it was cheaper. Higher prices give them smaller profits, generally speaking.

Mr. Riddle's readings, the second performance in the Star Course, drew a big house, which was highly entertained. The readings were No. 1, and the audience enjoyed them for all there was out.

The grand annual ball given by the Orangemen in Lyceum Hall last Friday evening was a complete success. The attendance was large, good order was preserved, and everything passed off in real good shape.

Lovers of good music will not fail to attend the vespers services at the Unitarian church next Sunday. A capital programme has been laid out for the occasion, and it will be executed by the best talent in Woburn. We have an idea that the house will be filled.

We are in receipt of the "Shoe and Leather Reporter Annual for 1882," in which it is stated that there are twelve boot and shoe manufacturers in Woburn; four shops where stiffenings and counters are made; twenty-four tanning and currying establishments; and six for the manufacture of tanners' and curriers' machinery.

Mrs. George H. Conn will please pardon us for giving the credit of superintending the tables at the Annual Supper of the Congregational Charitable Reading Society to the wrong person. We knew at the time that the arrangement of the tables was under the supervision of Mrs. Conn, and we knew also that everything was done nicely and in order; but somehow failed to say it.

There is no doubt but that the men who handle the types know a good deal better than those who write the items what's what and how it ought to go into paper. A JOURNAL man would have it, last week, that Miss Lane is the alto singer in the Unitarian choir, when everybody knows that Miss Etta Allen is the person occupying that place, and that she is one of the sweetest singers in Woburn.

The funeral of Edward E. McSweeney, son of policeman Bryan McSweeney, took place on Monday, and was largely attended by the friends of the family. The young man was about eighteen years old, and his death is a severe blow to his parents. He was a very intelligent lad, well educated, bright, of exemplary habits, and bid fair to make a good man and respected citizen. He died of Bright's disease. The community deeply sympathize with the family in their bereavement.

There is talk of establishing a District Court in Woburn the better and more comfortably to execute the laws of the Commonwealth in this vicinity, and we hope the talk will end in fruition. We ought to have a District Court here, because, besides being a good deal more tony, it would be a great accommodation to lawyers, suitors, witnesses, and spectators whose (spectators) rights and privileges ought to receive recognition at the hands of the State. We are unable to state the exact progress the petition has made in the Great and General Court, if indeed, the same has been entered there.

At the meeting of the First Congregational Parish of Woburn on Tuesday evening, January 17, L. L. Whitney, Esq., was chosen Moderator, and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Clerk, Dr. G. S. Dodge; Treasurer and Collector, E. E. Thompson; Assessors and Parish Committee, Gavia R. Gage, Alvah Buckman, and Joseph G. Pollard; Auditors, F. A. Flint and L. G. Richardson; Approvers of names, F. A. Flint and Dr. G. S. Dodge; Receiver of names, Dr. G. S. Dodge. The financial exhibit of the Parish was never more flattering. The Treasurer reports the Parish free from debt and a balance in the treasury of \$747.00.

C. M. Munroe's new advertisement is real interesting and to in need of clothing ought to read and ponder it.

Vaccination has been ordered at the almshouse, and the pest house has been put in shape for patients if it should be needed.

There is rather more than an average prospect for a good ice harvest this season. It is a crop that doesn't vary often know no such word as fall here in New England.

Horton has Harper's Magazine for February and all the other principal monthly, literary weeklies, dailies, etc. Horton's is a real good place to find the kind of reading one wants.

Mr. W. F. Estabrook, the prince of bakers, has got a good idea in his head which he proposes to develop. And that is hot coffee and tea to go with his excellent baked beans and sandwiches, thus furnishing a first rate lunch at a cheap price.

The direction of the musical affairs of the Congregational church was left in the hands of the Parish Committee by the meeting last Tuesday evening. A chorus choir has been talked of by some, but the committee, the members of which are well up in the art, will determine the matter judiciously and judiciously, we have no doubt.

Be it remembered: Season tickets to the remainder of the Star Course—three entertainments—have been reduced to 75 cts. That is cheap enough in all conscience. The remaining three entertainments are: Boston Opera Company, Jan. 25; Col. R. H. Conwell, February 8; Evelyn Lyceum Party, February 15—all first class.

The annual election of the Congregational church took place on last Monday evening, at which Joseph G. Pollard and O. F. Bryant were elected their own successors to the office of Deacon, and Alvah Buckman was elected to fill the vacancy occasioned by the removal from town of Dea. Gleason. We hear, however, that Mr. Buckman will not serve as he notified the meeting when voted for.

The ladies of the Baptist Church will hold a Festival on the evenings of January 26 and 27, notice of which, with particulars, is printed in our advertising columns. It is called a Calico Festival, and a good deal of calico, we hope, will be there, with a plenty of bread and butter, and things to buy, and a nice, pleasant social reunion besides. The prices have been put down very low, so that everybody can enjoy the good time.

Mr. Hill, Clerk of the Board of Selectmen, has sent circulars to all the heads of families in this town, recommending and urging the necessity of vaccination and re-vaccination of themselves and children in order to guard against the smallpox, cases of which have been reported at Wilmington and are liable to come this way. The circular contains extracts from health laws and an article on vaccination which it is important should be read. The suggestion ought to be heeded and precautions taken immediately against the possibility of smallpox committing any ravages in this community as it is doing in so many all over the country.

Sooner or later—sooner, probably—this town will have to make up its mind to a complete system of drainage, cost what it may. And it can be done without an enormous expenditure of money too. The whole town is favorably situated for such a work—none more so anywhere—and health will soon put in a strong plea, if it does not absolutely demand, that cesspools be made to go to the back seats, and scientific draining take their place. Much complaint is made here and there concerning this question, and it won't be long before public opinion will force the town to do this greatly needed work of reform. Life and health must be carefully looked after even if it costs money.

The facts are these: Mr. Amos Cummings has leased of Mr. Dexter D. Hart, for the term of fifteen years, from the first day of February next, a lot of land 27x100 feet adjoining his store on Main street, the front part of which is now covered by Mr. Weyer's market. Mr. Weyer will not be disturbed in his business, but will continue at his present stand, as the conditions of his lease are that he shall have a year's notice to quit, and Mr. Cummings is agreeable to that condition. During the next summer Mr. Cummings will excavate in the rear of Mr. Weyer's market, and build an addition to his store of forty feet, which will afford him all the room necessary at present for his large trade. Not very far in the future, however, he will erect a handsome substantial block on the leased premises, but just when dependent don't know. At which rate it will not be a great while before the old buildings on Main street will be obliged to yield to the demands of modern improvement.

The following item is of importance to those who grow pears, and pomological societies may study it with profit: Last fall G. R. Gage, Esq., bought of Judge Converse the product of a Beurre d'Anjou pear tree, which he treated as follows: One half the fruit—about four bushels—he put into his cellar—a dry and fairly cool one; and the other half was placed by him in Mr. Joseph Back's ice-house for the purpose of trying the effect of a low, even temperature on their preservation. The pears in the cellar soon ripened and began to decay, so that by Thanksgiving there were barely enough of them left to supply the festive board on that day. Last Saturday Mr. Gage exhibited a basket of those kept in a dry room in the ice-house at an even temperature of forty degrees, which were as hard, fair and smooth as on the day they were harvested. In the barrel and a half kept in the ice-house Mr. Gage found only four pears which had the least speck of decay on them, and they were probably taken out previous to last Saturday and it was found that it required about eight days for them to become sufficiently mellow to eat, showing that the cold destroyed none of their qualities, but merely suspended the operations which destroyed the other four bushels in a month, and preserved these fresh, sound and fair, until past the middle of January. Thus it will be seen that Dea. Gage has solved the problem of preserving fruit, and successfully tried an experiment which will be of great benefit to fruit-raisers in the future.

On Wednesday morning the itinerant fish-vender declared that the mercury stood at sixteen below zero in Stoneham when he left it that morning. That looks like a pretty big yarn, but some people say fishermen are famous for large stories.

Several of our citizens have gone to Boston today to attend the third Grand Banquet of the Social Temperance Union given in Wesleyan Hall, 36 Bromfield street, at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Addresses will be made by Edward Everett Hale, D. D., and other distinguished gentlemen. These banquets are grand feasts of fat things.

Special Vesper Service at the Unitarian Church next Sunday evening. The choir will be assisted by the choir of the Orthodox church and Miss Annie Ellis.

PROGRAMME.

Organ Prelude from Ernani.	Lucy.
Gloria.	Monart.
Chorus. Inflammatus.	Rosini.
With solo by Miss Cary.	
Plead thou my cause.	Weston.
Tenor and Soprano solos.	
Organ Improvisation.	Lucy.
Response. Abide with Me.	Monk.
Solo. Prosopopeia—from Statist Mater.	Rosini.
Mr. Shaw.	
Organ Postlude.	Selected.

The Woburn reporter for the Boston Globe sets down the value of the principal churches in town (taken from the books of the Town Assessors) as follows: First Congregational, \$40,000; Unitarian, \$35,000; First Baptist, \$30,000; St. Charles, \$45,000; Methodist, \$14,000; North Woburn Congregational, \$3,000; North Woburn Unitarian, \$1,800; Independent Baptist, \$1,500; and the total value of property held by them at \$259,710. This is done to show how much is held by religious societies exempt from taxation. The reporter gives no estimate of the number of additional thousands of dollars that are yearly returned to the Assessors for taxation as the result of the influence of these churches on the heart and consciences of property-holders. A good many heavy collaterals are brought to light by this influence which otherwise the Assessors would never hear of.

The concert and comic operetta given at Lyceum Hall last Tuesday evening by the ladies of Woburn in aid of the Soldier's Home Fund was largely attended by the best classes of our society. The entertainment was excellent and highly enjoyed by all present. To the patriotic ladies of Woburn who originated and carried through the affair with such signal success is due great credit, and we know our people will thank them for the fine musical treat furnished by them on Tuesday evening.

It is gratifying to see the ladies so earnestly engaged in this good work, and their efforts to aid it should be liberally seconded by the people. Mr. T. Marvin Parker was stage manager, in which office he has but few equals and no superiors. He is particularly well adapted for the business, and it is noticed that everything he undertakes in this line comes out at the big end of the horn. Mrs. Sallie Clough-Pinney had the title role in "Penelope," the comic operetta, and so admirably did she fill the part that the audience was more than gratified and showed their appreciation by the presentation of bouquets. Mr. C. C. Shaw as Chalks, the milkman, sustained the leading part capitally; and Mr. S. Frank Trull, as Pitcher, the Policeman, could not have been excelled by a professional. His fine acting was generously applauded by the appreciative audience. Miss Etta Allen, as Mrs. Crocker, also did finely, and Mr. H. M. Aldrich, as Tossler, the soldier, seemed to have been "to the manor born." The concert which preceded the operetta was well enjoyed, especially the excellent readings of Mrs. G. P. Bartlett, who gave two pieces in the very best elocutionary style.

In response to invitations sent out by Thomas H. Hill, Esq., about fifty of the solid citizens of Woburn met in Grand Army Hall on Monday evening, to consider the expediency of forming an association the main object of which should be the development of the business facilities of the town, to encourage business enterprises, draw in capital, manufactures and population—in brief, to foster and advance the material welfare of our prosperous, beautiful, and for residence, already very desirable town. The character of the attendance was even more encouraging than the number, though this exceeded the expectations of the energetic movers of the plan. Our heavy tanners and merchants, lawyers and other men of business and social standing were there, and not only there, but manifested a strong interest in the aims of the organization—men whose names give substantial character to whatever they take hold of, and who succeed in their undertakings. The meeting was called to order by Thomas Hill, Esq., who explained in a plain, lucid and businesslike way the objects of the meeting, and set forth briefly some of the advantages which he believed would result from such an organization as was contemplated by the meeting. Mr. C. B. Bryant was chosen Chairman, and Mr. Charles A. Jones, Secretary. A committee consisting of Messrs. Benjamin Hinckley, James Skinner and A. S. Wood were appointed to select a committee of seven on permanent organization, by-laws, etc., who reported as follows: Messrs. C. B. Bryant, Thomas H. Hill, Charles A. Jones, A. S. Wood, John Warren Johnson, Jacob Brown, Joseph G. Pollard, which report was adopted, and the committee instructed to report at the next meeting. It was voted to adopt the following preamble:

The object of this association shall be the uniting the energies and influence of our citizens for the more effectual protection and promotion of the public welfare of Woburn, and to aid in the development of all legitimate enterprises which would tend to increase its population.

This preamble was signed by a large majority of the gentlemen present. Excellent speeches, full of practical sense and always to the point, were made by Col. T. C. Grammer, Benjamin Hinckley, Thomas H. Hill, V. M. Simons, Mark Allen, E. A. Champney, F. S. Burgess, Thomas Salmon, Capt. John P. Crane. These speakers manifested an interest in the association which augurs well for its future influence and success, and for the material benefit of the town. The meeting was adjourned to re-assemble on the call of the Chairman, Mr. Bryant.

PIANO-FORTE AND HARMONY INSTRUCTION.

MISS MERTENA L. BANCROFT,

Residence, Franklin St., Woburn. 35-59

Deputy Sheriff, John M. Fisk, advertises the Mystic Valley R. R. for sale in the JOURNAL this week.

The West Side Associates will give their third annual ball in Lyceum Hall on Friday evening, Jan. 27.

Mr. Peter Murray was quite severely injured at F. L. White & Co.'s tannery on Wednesday by a piece of falling joist.

Mr. James Blaud, a carpenter of this town, had his collar bone broken by falling stick of timber at Loring & Avery's tannery, Winchester, last Saturday.

On February 1st the Boston & Lowell Railroad Company will cease selling mileage tickets in the present form, and will substitute the book form like several other roads.

Last Thursday evening Col. Grammer celebrated his sixtieth birthday. The affair was quite private—only a quiet home gathering, viz. self and wife, so the Colonel says.

At the annual meeting of the Shoe and Leather Exchange held in Boston on Tuesday Hon. John Cummings was chosen one of the Vice Presidents, and Mr. Griffin Place was made one of the Directors—both of Woburn.

An esteemed feminine correspondent at Doughty's Falls, Me., writes: "The 21st below zero this (Wednesday) morning." Of course there is no truth in the statement, unless "ther." means some other kind of a weather-gauge than that used heretofore.

Chas. McLucas went into a house at Montvale leaving his team at the door, when he came out the team was gone. It was found on Salem street by Henry Converse who turned it over to Capt. John Boyle from whom it was recovered by the owner.

At the annual meeting of the Congregational Parish on Tuesday evening it was voted to raise \$5000 by taxing the pews 12 percent on the appraisal. A vote of thanks was also tendered G. A. Bean and L. G. Richardson "for able and faithful services rendered as Parish Committee."

Porter's Bower of Comfort continues to be the popular resort of men of social casts of character and lovers of the real Virginia weed. He has everything around him for making his visitors comfortable and happy, we mean in the tobacco line; and especially should it be mentioned that his cigars are of the choicest brands.

His Honor, Judge Converse, has administered considerable justice to offenders this week, all of which he has tried to temper with mercy, viz: six cases of simple drunks; one railer and brawler (who old-fashioned that sounds); one assault and battery. The names are of no sort of consequence to any body except their owners.

At the meeting of the Fine Members of the Woburn Phalanx last Saturday evening Mr. A. S. Wood presided, and C. E. Halliday was chosen Clerk. The report of the committee provides for a Commander, Senior and Junior Vice Commanders, Adjutant, Quartermaster, Judge Advocate and Chaplain, as the officers of the new organization. The annual assessment was fixed at \$3. The "Phalanx Associates" chose officers last evening.

"Our Boys" in the Star Course, was played in good style on Wednesday evening. Where each filled his part so well it would not be quite the thing to single out a part of the cast, say Parker and Thompson for instance, on whom to bestow special praise. They all did capital, and it was easy to see that the audience were well pleased. The attendance was large—it was a real good house. Mr. Parker is making a grand success of the Course, albeit his failure was predicted by many.

The Woburn reporter of the Boston Herald has evidently lost faith in the construction of the M. V. R. R., judging from an article of his in a recent issue of that paper. He pictures the outlook for the road in rather somber shades, and it is not for the JOURNAL to say that he is wrong about it. There appears to be a serious hitch somewhere in the proceedings, and we can't find any-body who even professes to know how it is all coming out. And at the same time, we have an idea that Woburn will have another railroad within a year and a half.

HEREDITARY SCROFULA.

ARE you aware that in your blood the taint of scrofula has a prominent place? This is true of every one. It is liable at any time, on the slightest provocation, to develop itself in some insidious disease. Consumption and many other diseases are outgrowths of this impurity of the blood. Hood's SARSAPARILLA has a wonderful power over all scrofulous troubles, as the remarkable testimonials we have received unmistakably prove.

Messrs. C. I. Hood & Co., Gentlemen—
I am a young man, but have been long troubled with Scrofulous Humor; sores in my head discharging from my ears, and a running sore on the back of my ear for two years; my eyes were feater and ulcerated; discharging so that I was obliged to wash them every morning, my eyelashes nearly all coming out; he was exceedingly dainty, most of the time eating but two slight meals a day. We were unable to find anything that gave the least relief upon the last spring, 1878. We gave him two bottles of Hood's SARSAPARILLA. His appetite improved at once. The back of his ear healed up without a scar, and not a sore in his head since.
Sincerely yours,
J. C. SANBORN,
No. 108 Merrimack St., Lowell, Mass.

We do not as a rule allow ourselves to use our editorial columns to speak of any remedy we advertise, but we feel warranted in saying a word for Hood's SARSAPARILLA. It has been known as a remedial agent for centuries and is recognized by a score of practices as a valuable blood purifier. It is put up in forms of almost infinite variety, but Messrs. Hood & Co. (Lowell, Mass.) who are thoroughly reliable pharmacists, have hit upon a remedy of unusual value. Certainly they have vouchers of cures which we know to be most extraordinary.
—Editors Lowell Weekly Journal.

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31-14-22

Thursday was a mild, sweet, spring-like day.

The Northern Lights last night were brilliant, beautiful and prolonged.

The concert given at the Congregational Church last evening had a full house, and was a fine affair.

Rev. Geo. H. Young was last evening elected President of the Young People's Union of the Unitarian Church.

The newly elected officers of U. O. G. C. will be installed this evening, after which a supper will be served in Y. M. C. A. Hall.

Our brother Mark Allen errs: we didn't hint that he was seeking office: but that the office seeks the man. You can't "most" always tell where lightning is going to strike.

The total amount of insurance paid F. L. White & Co., on the fire in their tannery Dec. 24, was \$61,003.60. The greater part of the insurance was placed with Geo. H. Conn, Esq.

A circular from the Winchester Star talks of "carrying the war into Egypt," (a bran new phrase: it was to be "Africa") by which it means that it will have hereafter a Woburn correspondent and give Woburn news. That is the way to do it.

VERY LATEST.—A petition has been presented to the General Court for an extension of the charter of the M. V. R. R., and it the same is granted, of which there can be no doubt, responsible parties stand ready to take hold and build the road forthwith. Petitions for the extension will be in circulation in this town within a day or two, which ought to be signed by everybody, and doubtless will be. Besides which a delegation of prominent citizens will appear before the Legislative Committee in behalf of the object at the proper time.

The Fine Members of the Woburn Mechanic Phalanx met at the Armory Thursday evening and effected an organization by the election of the following officers: Commander, Col. Wm. T. Grammer; Senior Vice Commander, Capt. Chas. H. Converse, Junior Vice Commander, Capt. J. W. Ellard; Adjutant, Thomas H. Hill; Quartermaster, Alva S. Wood; Surgeon, Dr. G. P. Bartlett; Commissary, Alpha E. Thompson; Judge Advocate, J. Warren Johnson; Chaplain, Gavia R. Gage. The following were chosen a committee to draft Constitution and By-Laws: Capt. J. S. Crane, T. H. Hill, A. S. Wood.

The children in the Fairmount District were treated to their annual sleighride by their good friend, G. R. Gage, Esq., last Saturday and a most delightful time they had of it. Jones & Doyle's barge "Music" was taken by Mr. Gage, into which about thirty of the lads and lassies of Fairmount were seated, and with a gay pair of nags, and ringing iron bells a hundred years old, the merry crew skinned over the "Beautiful Snow" to Burlington, down to Winchester, and into several other friendly harbors, and finally returned to their homes. Every one of the party pronounced it "a perfectly splendid" ride, and their young hearts were brimful of gratitude to Mr. Gage, who does this same thing for the little ones every year.

The New York Board of Aldermen has ordered that hereafter the cut at Spuyten Duyvil be lighted and patrolled, and that a flagman be stationed at each end.

LITERARY.

In the February number of the NORTH AMERICAN REVIEW, Prof. Geo. P. Fisher of the Yale Divinity School, whose writings on the supernatural origin of Christianity and on ecclesiastical history are well known, comes to the defence of the Christian Religion against the attacks of modern doubt and infidelity. No able or more eminent advocate for the orthodox faith could be summoned into the controversy that has lately been waged on this high theme, and it is not too much to say that Prof. Fisher justifies every expectation by the vigor and clearness with which he handles the subject. He disclaims, however, the position of a debater, and makes no direct reference to Col. Ingersoll's assaults, although he necessarily deals with the objections so brilliantly and audaciously presented by that doughty combatant. He proceeds in a very orderly manner to maintain a series of positions in regard to the origin, essential character and beneficent effects of the Christian faith, which are intended in themselves to furnish the answer to all objections and cavils. In the first place he takes advantage of the position that Christianity is no new thing whose present existence calls for justification or apology. It is inwrought with the very fibre and substance of the best part of modern institutions and civilization, and has contributed more than any other force to say that they are. We are impressively invited to imagine what they would have been without its agency. The difficulties which it presents, some of them of a very perplexing character, are frankly acknowledged, and differences of interpretation and understanding are alluded to as something inseparable from the action of the human mind in dealing with any system, complex in its details and bearings, however simple in its character and purpose. The idea that Christianity has been a bane to mankind is very effectually disposed of by an appeal to history and the experience of the race. In tracing the development of

Divine Revelation and the gradual establishment of the religion of which Christianity is the consummation, Prof. Fisher gives a very broad interpretation to the idea of inspiration in the writing which contain its record and its precepts. Thence he is enabled to meet with skill and effect some of the most telling arguments of the skeptic and the infidel. He claims, for instance, that the Divine method was to select a chosen people and lead them gradually up to the plane upon which the fullness of truth could be revealed to them with a possibility of being received and propagated. There was no sudden transformation of human nature, no violent sweeping away of old institutions and miraculous introduction of a new system, to which there must be a sudden and complete adaptation of mankind, equivalent almost to a new creation of the race; but instead of that the chosen people were dealt with as men of their own era, and those that surrounded or came in contact with them were similarly treated according to the requirements of the stage of progress reached from time to time. Hence the evils and abuses characteristic of ancient days were not suddenly rooted out, but were restrained and mitigated while the forces were set at work which were to effect their final annihilation. This idea of the gradualness of revelation and the modified character of inspiration avoids a vast array of difficulties, but at the same time it approximates the process of religious development to that of political and social development and the growth of civilization generally. To many minds it will seem in no small measure to abolish the distinction between religious revelation and the general supervision of human affairs which all devout minds attribute to the Deity.

In dealing with the facts and doctrines of Christianity, Prof. Fisher displays much of the same breadth of method. While he resolutely maintains the genuineness and credibility of the miracles of the Saviour and the arguments

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WINCHESTER.

Dr. March attended Mr. Craig who fell down stairs and broke his collar bone last week.

The pulpit of the Unitarian Church will be filled next Sunday by Rev. John B. Green of Brattleboro, Vt.

Miss Elizabeth Small has been elected to the position of teacher in one of the Melrose schools, and will fill it first rate.

Members of the order here propose to institute a Lodge of Odd Fellows at an early day. We have a plenty of good material for a first rate Lodge.

The young men, whose sleigh was run into and pretty nearly wrecked on the Medford-mile-ground last Sunday, were safely brought home by sympathizing friends.

The Water Board appointed M. Cushman Water Registrar in opposition to the petitions of many prominent taxpayers who wanted George W. Spurr. Why this was thus I am unable to state, but probably the Board thought Cushman the best man.

There is considerable mid-winter gaiety observed here, and the left of the people appear to be enjoying themselves. Parties, fairs and social gatherings are frequent, well attended, and highly enjoyed. Sleigh-rides too are frequent and jolly.

It is currently reported that there is soon to be quite a tidal wave of mating for the left between Winchester young men and ladies—a sort of matrimonial harvest, which I think is good news. We have some very fine ones of both sexes, and it is mete that they should "jine drives," as Solon Chase says.

Last Thursday evening week, the following officers of Winchester Lodge K. of H., were duly installed: D. T. H. Stinson; V. D. G. A. Wade; A. D. J. P. Boutwell; R. H. C. Miller; F. R. J. W. Richardson; T. G. H. Eustis; C. E. T. Whitney; Geo. F. B. Weeks; G. S. Gore; S. G. A. Hall; P. D. H. F. Clark; Repts., G. H. Eustis, W. H. Bailey.

"R., in the Star, says a deep religious interest exists in the Methodist church, and quite a good many have been converted and joined the church. A series of deeply interesting meetings have recently been held, the good fruits of which are being gathered in. The church has had no outside aid, but have carried on the good work entirely within itself, for which it is certainly entitled to much praise.

I do not know why "Romeo" should be so severe on me in the Star. I certainly cherish only the kindest feelings towards that paper and its managers, and it is a pity if it cannot take a little chaffing without flying into a passion. It will get so pretty soon that I cannot allude to the Star in my correspondence without exciting its ire, and getting a whole broadside of abuse from it. Seems to me I wouldn't be so touchy if I were in the Star's place.

In case a District Court is established by the Legislature, the District to include Winchester, Woburn, and Arlington, Geo. S. Littlefield, Esq., at present Trial Justice, will be recommended and urged as a candidate for the office by the people of Winchester and neighborhood. His appointment to the Judgeship would be an excellent one, and I don't see why his chances for obtaining it would not be as good as any body's else. He certainly would make a capital Judge, and is a very deserving gentleman.

The Good Will Club held their regular monthly meeting on last Tuesday evening in the Unitarian vestry, when and where its President, F. A. Nourse, presided. The evening exercises consisted of: March upon piano by Master Cutter; a talk by R. C. Metcalf upon the "Catechisms of Rome"; piano solo by Mary Norman; a farce entitled "Look after Brown" was acted, in which S. Symmes, G. L. Littlefield, Chas. Whitten, Charles H. Sleeper and Miss Wells participated, and was a very fine performance.

INTERESTING ITEMS.

Gray hairs are honorable, but few like them. Cloth them with the laces of youth by using Ayer's Hair Vigor.

Supposing Howgate had discovered the north pole, he couldn't have pawed it for enough to make up that deficiency, and should we have honored him as a great discoverer, or abhorred him as a rascal?

No molasses and water mixture, but a concentrated extract of the active medicinal properties of roots, barks, &c., is Hood's Sarsaparilla.

The Republican Independents in Pennsylvania give out that they will make no combination with the Democrats, their purpose being simply to break the tyranny of the Cameron machine.

Write to Mrs. Lydia E. Pinkham, 233 Western Avenue, Lynn, Mass., for names of ladies that have been restored to perfect health by the use of her Vegetable Compound. It is a positive cure for the most stubborn cases of female weakness.

In 1881 Maryland expended \$1,604,580.77 for public schools, and yet there are 134,488 persons in that State who can neither read nor write.

[South Bend Evening Register.] When certain powers are claimed for medicine, and everybody testifies that it does more than is claimed for it, to gain its worth is useless. This is the substance of the St. Jacobs Oil record.

Ex-Archbishop General MacVough is reported to give as the reason for leaving the Cabinet, the fact that no one who swindles the Government can be convicted in Washington.

Over-Exertion, either of body or mind, produces debility and disease. The usual remedy is to take some stimulant, the effect of which is the same as giving a tired horse the whip instead of oats. The true way is to fortify the system with a permanent tonic like the Peruvian Syrup (a protoxide of Iron), which gives strength and vigor to the whole system.

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The peach trees are blooming in Florida. At Staunton, Va., a man recently gathered a second crop of strawberries. Numerous fruit trees are in bloom for the second time, and if the wheat continues to grow as at present, harvesting will begin by the first of March.

[Battle Creek (Mich.) Daily Journal.] Upon being spoken to concerning St. Jacobs Oil, our fellow townsman Mr. Theodore Wakelee, said: "I had been suffering with rheumatism, and obtained the greatest relief from the use of St. Jacobs Oil. It has also been used in my family for some time, and has never been found to fail in giving prompt relief."

A hunter in Montana Territory claims to have shot 107 buffaloes in one day. His name is Vic. Smith.

A good Baptist clergyman of Bergen, N. Y., a strong temperance man, suffered with kidney trouble, neuralgia, and dizziness almost to blindness, over two years after he was told that Hop Bitters would cure him, because he was in the habit of and prejudiced against "Bitters." Since his cure he says none need fear but trust in Hop Bitters.

A member of the Maine delegation is reported as saying that Mr. Blaine will be sent back to the House by his old district.

Special inducements are offered you by the Burlington Route. It will pay you to read their advertisement to be found elsewhere in this issue.

Apples were among the earliest fare of mankind, and in their desiccated form they have been the swell food ever since.

Arrested! Charles A. Dailey, was arrested last evening for stealing from the drug store of Shifman, a bottle of Sulphur Bitters. Before the court this morning upon being asked why he should steal it, he stated that his mother was troubled with Rheumatism, and that it was the only medicine that helped her, and being out of money and work was the cause of his stealing. As this was his first offense he was put on probation.—Newark News.

P. T. Barnum proposes that the number of liquor licenses be reduced, and the price of them be raised. What the public demands is that the number of circus tickets be increased and the price of them lowered.

Taken out of Bed. Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.: Dear Sir—I have to thank you for the great relief received from your "Favorite Prescription." My sickness has lasted seven years, one of which I was in bed. After taking one bottle I was able to be about the house. Respectfully, AMANDA K. BOWEN, Fulton, Mich.

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Snakes as Life Destroyers. The loss of life in India due to the ravages of venomous snakes is almost incredible. Yet Consumption, which is as wily and fatal as the deadliest Indian reptile, is winding its coils around thousands of people while the victims are unconscious of its presence. Dr. R. V. Pierce's "Golden Medical Discovery" must be used to cleanse the blood of the scrofulous impurities, for tubercular consumption is only a form of scrofulous disease. "Golden Medical Discovery" is a sovereign remedy for all forms of scrofulous disease, or king's-evil, such as tumors, white swelling, fever sores, scrofulous sore-eyes, as well as for other blood and skin diseases. By druggists.

Some visitors were going through a great house recently, and at length paused before a fine painting representing a handsome black-headed man, in gorgeous attire. One of them inquired of their guide whose portrait it might be. "Well, sir," replied the house-keeper, "I don't really know; but I believe it is the Dower Venus." "But," said the visitor, "I scarcely think that the Dower Venus would be represented with a beard. Perhaps you will be good enough to look in the catalogue." She did so, and the Dower Venus proved to be the Doge of Venice.—London Society.

More grain has been sown in South Carolina this season than in any other state since the war.

"Now, Johnny, tell the little girls what a quadruped is." "Well, there's the elephant, the cow, the potamus, and (after a pause) two little girls."

An apothecary at Leavenworth, Kansas, who gave a man a dose of powdered opium for powdered rhubarb, has been sued for \$10,000 damages by the widow of the victim.

A Tucson dispatch says General Cass has been placed under arrest by order of the President. The cause is not definitely ascertained, but it is reported on good authority that it is on account of certain facts brought out at the recent trial of Indian scouts.

Senator McPherson of New Jersey thinks that David Davis will be the man for the Democrats to nominate in 1884. As for General Hancock, Mr. McPherson says: "If he gets the nomination next time, he must write no more tariff letters nor congratulate the Fusionists of Maine." Mr. McPherson is a Democrat.

After consultation with the Justices of the Supreme Court, Attorney General Brewster has decided to revive the practice of his more distinguished predecessors, and hereafter will appear in court in all cases affecting the public interests. Mr. Brewster will not abandon his private practice while serving as Attorney General, but will confine such practice during his continuance in office to cases that may be brought before the Supreme Court.

GENERAL ITEMS. The Cincinnati Commercial says that General Grant will not visit the President, as was contemplated, because of the expected pressure of the office-seekers upon him for assistance.

A Japanese student of Cornell University, who attended the Dairymen's Convention at Syracuse, N. Y., last week, advocated the introduction of the saga bean of Japan into this country, as a nutritious and valuable production.

The widow of Senator Nicholson of Tennessee, "who went with his State" in 1861, now asks Congress to pay her the salary due her for the extra session which he attended before his State left the Union.

The Supreme Court of the United States decides that registered bonds and stocks of one State may be constitutionally taxed in another. Whether State bonds are taxed or are expressly exempt from taxation at home, the fact in either case, the Court holds, does not prevent them from being taxed elsewhere, for the reason that no State can exempt property from taxation out of its own jurisdiction.

The Inter-Ocean turns its lantern on a small section of Chicago, and thus records the result of its observations: "Five hundred liquor saloons, 200 houses of prostitution, 150 concert saloons, gambling houses and pool rooms—all in a region bounded by Van Buren, Fourteenth, State and Clark streets, five blocks one way and four the other. In this territory it is estimated there are 3000 abandoned women, and the nightly orgies of these maddened and dissolute people are attended by 12,000 young men, who, it is calculated, spend on the average fully \$100,000 weekly in the most depraved and degrading amusement."

WASHINGTON ITEMS. Jan. 17. At the close of business to-day there had been redeemed at the Treasury Department \$18,928,200 in United States bonds under the 105th call, and \$10,113,050 of those embraced in the 106th call.

Senator Davis introduced a bill to-day permitting Justice Hunt of the Supreme Court to retire on account of physical disability, provided he resigns his office within thirty days of the passage of the act.

The bill introduced in the Senate to-day by Mr. Blair to grant a pension to Mrs. Garfield proposes to provide a pension of \$5000 a year from September 19, 1881, for the wife of the late President.

The Senate in executive session to-day confirmed Wm. E. Hogan as Postmaster of Bath, Me., and Agnes Stewart at Thompsonville, Conn.

In the House Committee on Ways and Means several matters were discussed, but no conclusions reached. The most important matter under consideration was the proposition to relieve the Reading Railroad Company from the payment of certain taxes on wages certificates, in which the amount involved aggregates \$500,000.

The House Committee on Naval Affairs to-day authorized a favorable report on Representative Moore's bill providing that Capt. Wm. D. Whiting shall be placed on the retired list with rank and retired pay of a Commodore.

The House Committee on Elections to-day dismissed the contest in the case of McDowell v. George of Oregon.

Simon Wolf, Consul-General at Cairo, has forwarded to Treasurer Giffill another contribution of 3800 francs to the Garfield Memorial Hospital, making in all \$1200 collected by him from the Khedive and others in Egypt.

News. New York, Jan. 17. Mrs. Abraham Lincoln is in this city at Miller's Water Cure in West 26th street.

A Tribune reporter called on her to-night and told her that the Senate Pensions Committee had decided to give her \$15,000, which amount was due her under arrears of pensions. Mrs. Lincoln was much pleased at the news. She said that her health was rapidly improving since she has been in New York. She came here by advice of

Dr. Sayre, only intending to remain a month, but would probably stay during the winter. She is, however, barely able to walk across the floor without aid.

Jan. 18. It was 26 degrees colder in Boston at midnight than at the same hour Monday, twenty-three colder at Albany and twenty-two colder at Portland and Norfolk. The coldest place recorded at midnight was Burlington, Vt., where the mercury was down to zero.

There was a \$75,000 fire yesterday at Abilene, Kansas. Ex-Governor Bullock dropped dead from apoplexy at Worcester yesterday.

The Homeopathic Hospital fair at Providence was opened last night.

A new departure in the trade is noted in New York; the Tea Brokers' Association, recently formed, held its first auction sale yesterday, disposing of about 8000 packages.

The efforts of Congressman Robeson to secure the passage of the resolution to increase the number of the House Committee gave rise to a very animated debate.

The House decided yesterday that the Secretary of the Navy must present the minority report of the Advisory Board, which he has heretofore refused to make public.

The right of colored children to attend any of the public schools in Illinois has been vindicated by the Supreme Court. The School Board of Quincy had debarred colored children from all the public schools, save one.

Postmasters whose salaries exceed \$1200 cannot be members of Legislatures.

The Malley boys and Blanche Douglas have been indicted at New Haven for the murder of Jennie Cramer.

A freshet in the Big Black river in Louisiana has damaged the New Orleans and St. Louis railway track and interrupted travel.

Jan. 19. One man was killed and four injured by the falling of a bridge at Lebanon, Ky. on Thursday. One man leaped in to the river, a distance of 60 feet, and swam to shore.

Yesterday James F. Wilson was declared elected United States Senator by the Iowa Legislature for the long term; and J. W. McMill for the short term.

The great flood in Mississippi continues. At Canton the water is higher than ever before.

The Marshfield Club celebrated the birthday of Daniel Webster, its patron saint, at the Parker House on Wednesday evening in great agony. Gov. Long and other distinguished gentlemen were present and made speeches of course.

The Women's Suffrage convention held in Washington yesterday was well attended by the strong-minded of the country.

The New York gentry and snobs say that the Marquis of Lorne will visit that city in April.

BURLINGTON.

This, Friday, evening a sociable and oyster supper will be given in the Town Hall by the Ladies' Sewing Society.

LECTURE COURSE.—The next entertainment in the course will be a concert by an excellent company from Arlington. It will be given in the Town Hall, Tuesday evening January 24.

MONTVALE. The Mission Society here purpose giving an Old Folks Concert at the Chapel on Tuesday evening, January 24, at 7.30 o'clock, for which such preparations are making as will insure a first class entertainment. As the object is to aid in the support of the Mission, as well as to assist in paying off the debt due the town on the building, it is to be hoped that the attendance will be large and that the people of Montvale and the Centre will liberally patronize the concert. The parts are all in the hands of genuine talent, and we will be bound to say that the concert will be one of the most enjoyable of the season. Don't forget the date, and everybody prepare to attend.

MEETINGS FOR NEXT WEEK.

Y. M. C. A.—Praise Meeting Sunday at 4 o'clock led by F. S. Burgess. Bible Class Monday evening at 7.30.

BAPTIST.—Preaching by Rev. George E. Horr of Worcester, at 10.30 a. m. and 2.30 p. m.; Praise and Conference meeting at 7 p. m. Conference meeting on Wednesday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

UNITARIAN.—Preaching at 10.30 a. m. Sunday School at 11.45 a. m. Special service 7 p. m. Choir assisted by the choir of the Orthodox church and Miss Anne Ellis. Thursday young peoples' Union Social and Entertainment.

EPISCOPAL.—3 Sunday after Epiphany at 10.30 a. m. John Baptiste, 12 m. Sunday School. 7 p. m., "Rejoice in the Lord." Wednesday will be "Conversion of Saint Paul."

CONGREGATIONAL.—The pastor will preach at 10.30 a. m.; Young People's Meeting at 6 p. m. Service of Praise and Lecture at 7 p. m. The usual Meetings on Wednesday and Friday evenings.

SWEDENBORGIAN CHAPEL, EAST WOBURN.—Public service at 10.45 a. m.; Sunday school at 12.

MONTVALE MISSION CHAPEL.—Rev. J. H. Mason pastor. Preaching Sunday morning at 10.45; Sunday school at 12; prayer meeting at 7 p. m.

CATHOLIC.—Services at St. Charles church Main street, at the usual hours on Sunday.

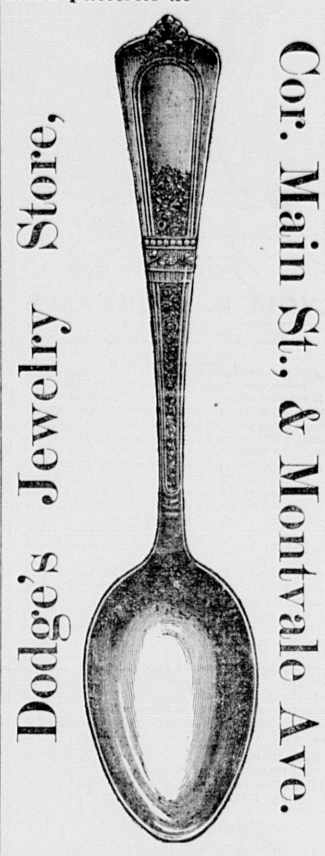
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The Kansas Temperance Law Again.
BY REV. RICHARD CORDLEY, D. D.

There seems to be a great diversity in
the reports as to the working of the Kansas
temperance law. There is, in truth, a con-
flict in the facts according to the locality.
But the adverse reports are sent out with
more persistence, and the adverse facts,
perhaps, are more obtrusive, as they exist
mainly in three or four of the larger and
better known places. It is the settled policy
of the enemies of the law to create the im-
pression that the law is a failure, for this
is the only hopeful ground of opposition. If
the law can be made effective, three-fourths
of the people will vote for its continuance.
But, if they can be made to believe that it
fails, many will say: "It is no use, and may
as well be repealed." This is the motive for
the persistent assertion that the law has
failed. The constant reiteration of this as-
sertion, coupled with the fact that in two or
three prominent places it is partly true, they
hope will soon produce the desired im-
pression.

After a travel through the State, and
a good deal of inquiry, I am convinced that
this report is untrue as regards the State as
a whole. In the great bulk of the State
the law is enforced as thoroughly as any law
is. It is enforced far better than the laws
against gambling or against any other vice
institution. It is enforced far better than the
sanitary regulations are in our towns.
In all the country places and villages, and
most of the interior cities, there is no selling,
except of the most clandestine kind. You
may travel through county after county and
not find a saloon.

So far as I know, the only places where
the law has not been at all effective are
Leavenworth and Atchison. There is in
these places a very large foreign element,
and the politicians and newspapers of both
parties have joined the liquor interest in
opposing the law. They elected officers
pledged to nullify the law. It is now pro-
posed to prosecute these officers for perjury
in violating their oath of office.
In Topeka and Lawrence, under various
subterfuges, there is more or less selling.
Convictions under the law have been diffi-
cult, partly through the want of proof,
and partly through the shrewdness of the
managers on the other side. But the selling
is by no means as open as before, or as common.

In other interior towns, I presume it is
much as it is here in Emporia. Here every
saloon was closed the day after the law went
into effect. One or two have tried to open
again, but have been dealt with at once,
and convicted. I am told that old veterans,
who understand the ways of the whiskey
world, can still procure a supply. By crawl-
ing under ground or sneaking into garrets,
by grips and pass-words and counterfeits,
a man can doubtless obtain all he wants.
But it is no longer thrust in everybody's
way, and it is no longer an allurement or a
temptation. This is a town of 6,000 people,
about the average of our Kansas towns;
and what is true here I presume is true
elsewhere.

There are those who say that there is more
drinking in this State now than ever. But
they assert the same thing of this town,
which they assert of the State at large. If,
however, there is as much drinking here as
ever, it is very careful to hide itself, and to
hide its results. For two years past,
under saloons, a drunken man was a com-
mon, every-day sight. But I have seen but
one drunken man since the change. Several
men I know, who before were rarely sober,
but are now never otherwise than sober. A
farmer, who never came to town but to go
home crazy with drink, and who had drank
his farm into a mortgage, and his family into
poverty, has been thoroughly sober ever
since the 15th of January, when the amend-
ment took effect. This is the result here,
and I doubt not similar results will be
found all over the State.—*Congregationalist.*

LITERARY NOTICES.
PETERSON'S MAGAZINE for February is
already before us, more brilliant than ever.
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Stephens, and that by Mrs. Austin, increase
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Frequent noise in the corridor of the
Cincinnati Court House disturbed Judge
Harmon, of the Supreme Court, and he
resolved at length to make an example of
the next offenders. It was not long after-
ward that loud laughter arose. "Go out,"
thundered his Honor to an officer, "and
arrest those men." The mandate was
obeyed, and three offenders were quickly
arraigned at the bar. They were the City
Solicitor, the Clerk of the Court and a
venerable lawyer. "May I please your
Honor," explained the lawyer, "we didn't
know that we were disturbing anybody,
especially this honorable Court. Brother
Thomas here, was telling a dog story, and it
was the dog-gone funniest story I ever
heard, and Brother Hardacre and I couldn't
help laughing at it. Perhaps if Your Honor
would listen to the story, in mitigation of
the offence, it might—" "Never mind,"
the Judge interrupted; "I will discharge
you this time, but don't offend again."

LITERARY.

HARPER'S MAGAZINE for February is a
very strong number both in the literary and
artistic sense. Beginning with an excellent
portrait of Victor Hugo, which serves as a
frontispiece, we next an exceedingly inter-
esting description of Philadelphia, by
George P. Lathrop, beautifully illustrated.
The author's clever delineation of the social
features of the city, and of such old institu-
tions as the Saturday Club and the Assem-
bly, are very entertaining; and not less so
are his personal sketches of eminent Phila-
delphians, and his account of the athletic
sports and pastimes of this old Quaker town.
Another paper of unusual literary merit is
Mr. W. H. Bishop's Commercial, Social,
and Political Mexico, also illustrated. It
contains, moreover, novel and valuable in-
formation as to Mexican industry, education,
literature, and art. Mrs. Anna Bowman
Blake's personal sketches of "French Politi-
cal Leaders" are admirable; and Mr. Rein-
hart's characteristic drawings add greatly to
the reader's interest in the subject. Mr.
Joseph Hatton contributes a paper entitled
Henry Irving at Home, a large portion of
which is made up of Mr. Irving's own recital
of interesting incidents and phases of his
historic career. The article is illustrated
by an impressive portrait drawn by E. Bar-
nard, and by E. A. Abbey's drawings—"The
Armory of the Lyceum Theatre" and "A
Corner in the Beefsteak Club Room." In
"The American Life-Saving Service"
(illustrated) Mrs. Martha J. Lamb, besides
giving a clear description of the methods of
life-saving, has illustrated the peculiar perils
of the service with thrilling stories of the
most remarkable shipwrecks of recent years.
Miss F. E. Fryatt contributes an interesting
account of the work accomplished by the
"Wilson Industrial School and Mission,"
illustrated from four drawings by Jessie
Curtis Shepherd. Prof. John Fiske con-
tributes a paper entitled "The Romance of
Spanish and French Explorers;" W. L.
Alden a clever satire on juvenile sensation-
al literature; and John H. B. Latrobe "Per-
sonal Recollections of Daniel Webster." A
novel and most striking feature of the num-
ber is the first installment of Mrs. John
Little's serial tale, "Prudence: a Story of
Æsthetic London," which promises to be a
very strong and interesting exposition of a
peculiar phase of English life. This novel-
ette was written and in the hands of the
publishers before the comic opera "Patience"
was brought out. De Maurier, whose car-
toons in *Punch* bearing on the subject of
aesthetics have attracted so much atten-
tion, very effectively illustrates the story.
The figures in his full-page illustration in
this number are portraits that will be easily
recognized by those familiar with London
society. Mrs. T. W. Dowling contributes
a valentine poem, beautifully illustrated by
her husband. Other poems are contributed
by J. W. De Forrest and Lizzie W.
Champer. A noticeable feature of the
Editor's Drawer is the introduction of
contributions from eminent American humorists,
in addition to which there is the usual variety
of facetious anecdotes.

The facts were these: Snakes, lizards,
etc., being very popular designs for jewelry,
young Symonds, desiring to present Miss
Daisy with a beautiful present, gave her a
bracelet encased to look like a snake coiled
about her wrist. It was a very lifelike
contrivance and to add to its realism, was so
constructed that the heat of the arm would
cause it to quiver and squirm, considerably.
Young Symonds neglected to explain this to
Miss Daisy and the first time she put it on
she had hysterics and ran up a doctor's bill.
But after she came to understand the con-
trivance, she was mightily pleased with it.
Being invited to a swell party, she wore the
bracelet, and it did look beautiful on her
round, white arm and she took no pains to
conceal it. She was introduced to Mr. De
Lancy Smith, a New York swell, and took
his arm for a promenade. The heat of the
rooms was calculated to make one's blood
warm and the bracelet was wriggling consid-
erably. Mr. Smith looked down on Daisy
to say something sweet. But he didn't. He
seemed to forget it, and in a nervous way
asked to be excused. And he went outside
and tried to count the stars and walk a crack
and see if he was himself. He concluded
he was. But he avoided the champagne the
rest of the evening. As he didn't return,
Daisy accepted the escort of St. Clair Jones
and presently he followed the example of
De Lancy Smith. Daisy didn't understand it
and was angry. The dancing began. She
walked into the ball room and took a seat.
She did look lovely as she sat there fanning
herself. Four gentlemen rushed toward her
to claim her for a waltz. But as they drew
near, they paused and then all bolted out
of the room. Daisy was horrified. She went
to the dressing room and looked at herself
in the mirror. She was perfection. More
mystified, she returned to the ball room.
Meanwhile, the four gentlemen, having as-
sured each other that they saw nothing "off"
in each other, had plucked up courage to
return. But they all steered clear of the
wines, to the great amazement of the host.
Finally, young Symonds asked her to dance.
They joined a quadrille. It came to the
"ladies' chain." Daisy extended her hand
to old Judge Ryegate who was her vis-a-vis.
The snake was squirming beautifully. His
eyes rested on the bracelet. "Got 'em
again!" he cried. "What does he mean?"
asked Daisy. "Ah!" cried the Judge, "see
it quiver! I've got 'em bad! Take me
away!" Symonds caught the idea. He ex-
plained. There was a great sigh of relief
from the gentlemen. Then came a laugh at
the judge and, though he was truthfully em-
barrassed and mad as a batter, he stood it.
But he was gloomy all the rest of the eve-
ning and so were several other gentlemen,
who privately said that a woman ought to
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Edward Mills, pastor.

First Methodist Episcopal. Main street, corner

of Walnut. Rev. V. M. Simon, pastor.

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The Woburn Journal

WALTER'S WOOLING.

It is such a pretty scene. Dotted all the

country as the hills dot the field, the white

cottages of Elmshire rise from among the

grand old elms which, standing boldly out

from their background of stately hills, seem

to watch like sentinels over the little town.

Beyond the cottage wave green meadows,

their downward slope increasing until their

grasses lose themselves beneath the ripples

of the beautiful blue sea.

A pretty scene indeed! And so the sun

thinks; for, though its time for setting has

long since passed, still its golden rays are

lingering, perhaps to warm the land's calm

beauty into grandeur, more passionate life

—perhaps only to press a last long kiss

upon the head of a fair young girl who

stands at the gate of one of the cottages,

The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1882.

THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of S. Horton, 193 Main Street, R. Robie, 156 Main Street, E. P. Cutler, Cummingsville, J. P. Tyler, North Woburn, Cooper's News Stand at the Centre Depot, and at G. P. Brown's, Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

THE FIFTH DISTRICT.

There is liable to be a tall campaign in the Fifth Congressional District this year, if some one attempts to run. The Woburn Journal has drawn its horse for 1882, and names Mr. Hayden of that town as a candidate for Congress. This is a good starter, and this same Hayden, in our opinion, is destined, if life is spared him, to yet hold a high rank in the affairs of our state and country.—Boston Times.

The Times is doubtless correct in predicting a "tall campaign" in this District. The indications are that it will be a red hot one. But it travels outside the record when it states that the JOURNAL has named Mr. Hayden as a candidate. It has done nothing of the kind. In the last canvass Mr. Hayden was a strong friend and supporter of Gen. Lawrence of Medford, and as that estimable gentleman is grooming for next fall's race it is fair to presume he will have Mr. Hayden's influence and vote. Henry Cabot Lodge, if in the District, will be another of Mr. Bowman's competitors, but should Hon. John Cummings consent to enter the field, as his hosts of friends hope, he will probably be the successful candidate.

GUTTEAU SENTENCED.

Last Saturday Judge Cox overruled the motion for a new trial in Gutteau's case, and sentenced the assassin to be hung on the 20th of June next—just a year lacking two days from the date he fired on the President. Mr. Scoville will appeal the case to the court in banc where his exceptions to the rulings of Judge Cox will be heard and passed upon. This hearing will be had sufficiently early in May we believe to admit of a final decision and execution of the sentence on the day fixed should it be adverse to the criminal. Scarcely any one doubts that the appeal will be dismissed by the full bench, and it is not likely that Gutteau's lawyers themselves entertain any hopes of a favorable issue of their proceedings. So the chances of the life of the murderer being prolonged after the last day of next June are very slim.

DISTRICT COURT.

Last Wednesday the matter of a District Court in Woburn was considered by the Judiciary Committee. Quite a number of gentlemen interested in the measure were present and gave in testimony, with what effect on the Committee is not known. The general opinion is that the court will be established, jurisdiction to extend over Woburn, Winchester and Burlington. If the people want and call for it we do not see why the Legislature should object and refuse to grant their petitions. It is one of those local affairs that the citizens understand a good deal better than the Legislature does, and if there appears no considerable local opposition to it the District should be established and the necessary machinery furnished for grinding out the law.

Mr. Blaine's personal and political enemies have got him in a tight place again. They have had him in a great many tight places before, let them tell it, but this time he is fairly bottled up, Arthur and Conkling and Grant are the men who have done the job for him, and all on account of his official misbehavior towards some foreign countries with which he had to deal while Secretary of State. But it would be well enough for these gentlemen and others to bear in mind "about these days" that Mr. Blaine has never yet been floored by either personal or political enemies, and the conflict with them cannot be pointed out when he did not come down squarely on his feet always to his chagrin and discomfort. Blaine never falls on his back—he always lands on his brooms and stands there, staunch, strong and ready for the next round—a fact that Arthur & Co. oughtn't to overlook. Blaine is a better representative of the American people, of the principles they hold to, of the American spirit that some foreign nations call "sass," than any other man in the country; hence his popularity with the masses and the jealousies of the politicians.

During his few months' stay in the Washington jail Gutteau is to be handled like other convicted murderers and allowed little if any intercourse with the outside world. The public will be treated to no more of his blasphemy and blackguardism for which they will be thankful.

Since the Sullivan-Ryan fight last Tuesday in which Sullivan, a Boston Highlands man, won, the people of the Hub hardly know which they are the proudest of, their culture or their brawn.

It cost the city of Boston \$30,000 to break out and clear its streets after the Saturday night snow storm, and the street railway companies as much more, making the total cost of one storm \$60,000.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

Geo. P. Rowell & Co.—Mss. Ads. S. W. Ayer & Sons—Mss. Ads. Danbury & Co.—Weeks & Potter. S. R. Allen—Butler & Co. Henry Bonney—Leg. Com.—Com. Notice.

—The "No School" signal applies to the High as well as to the other schools.

—Charlie Munroe is making very low prices on clothing and furnishing goods.

—It rained a little on Tuesday night, and was very slippery on Wednesday morning.

—In trying to save himself from a fall Mr. Silas Corbett cut his right hand very badly one day last week.

—A good many of the streets didn't get broken or shoveled out for some days after the storm had ceased its fury.

—We call attention to the card of Hatch & Foote, well-known bankers of New York, in another column.

—The about the same as impassable condition of the roads prevented holding Vesper services at the Unitarian church, and a fine musical feast was missed last Sunday.

—Mount Horab Lodge of Free Masons held a social kind of a time in the Lodge Room last Friday evening. It is said that those present enjoyed it very much indeed.

—The Baptist Church of this village have not as yet given any one a call to come and settle over it as pastor. Our item last week was the result of an erroneous report.

—Dr. Bartlett's horse ran away the other day. No particular damage was done except to give the doctor's arm a twist that didn't make it feel very well for a short time.

—At a regular meeting of the Boston Photographic Association, held Wednesday evening, Feb. 1, at the studio of J. W. Black, Mr. H. E. Strout of this town was elected Secretary for the ensuing year.

—Everything has been adjusted at Simonds's stiffening shop in a manner satisfactory to all concerned. A portion of the July earnings have been paid, and the balance will be planked down as per agreement.

—Perhaps it would do no harm to again remind Woburn people that the concluding entertainment in the Star Course will be given next Wednesday evening. Likewise, that it will be a rare treat of good things. Let us all go.

—The attendance on divine services last Sunday was few and far between. Only at St. Charles church were there people enough to call a congregation. It was about the dullest Sunday anybody in Woburn has seen since the Concord Fight.

—The proprietor of "Hammond's Clothing Store" informs us that a job lot of very fine and stylish flat scarfs has just been received at that establishment, which will be sold at half price, namely, from 25 to 37 cents. We should say that this is a first rate chance to buy scarfs cheap.

—On Tuesday evening the officers of the Fifth Regiment met at Headquarters in Pemberton Square to hold an election. Capt. William A. Bancroft of Cambridge, was elected Colonel; Major Alonzo L. Richardson of Woburn, Lieut. Colonel; and Capt. John L. Curtis, Major. Here's our hand, Lieut. Col. Richardson.

—Ladies visiting Boston will find it to their interest to make purchases of gloves, laces, ribbons, flowers, millinery goods, hosiery, underwear, etc., at Wm. S. Butler & Co.'s, opposite the Tremont House, where they will find remarkable bargains during this month. A large and varied stock of desirable goods, courteous attendants and low prices have rendered Butler's a popular resort with ladies, while its location is conveniently reached by horse-cars from all the railroad depots.

—Last Friday afternoon Mr. Rufus Pickering, while employed about his ice houses at Horn Pond, had his left ankle badly crushed by a cake of ice weighing 800 pounds sliding against and catching it between another cake. He was taken to the Massachusetts General Hospital, where we learn he is doing as well as could be expected. The accident was a very bad one for Mr. Pickering, especially just in the season of harvesting his ice crop, and he has the sympathy of our people.

—Mr. H. E. Strout, the photographer, has secured telephonic communication with all the towns in this vicinity—Winchester, Stoneham, Burlington, Wilmington, Medford, Arlington, Lexington and others—with the citizens of which appointments can be made and orders and information given by telephone direct, which his numerous customers and the public generally will recognize as of great advantage and saving of time. Any person not having a telephone, wishing to communicate with Mr. Strout, can do so free of charge by calling at the central office in his or her own town.

—On next Wednesday evening, the closing entertainment of the Star Course, its popular manager, Mr. T. Marvin Parker, ought to receive at the hands of our people a real substantial benefit in recognition of his merits as an amusement purveyor and approval of his very successful efforts to give us a course worthy of patronage this winter. It would be serving him just right to fill Lyceum Hall to overflowing next Wednesday evening and thus give the gentleman to understand that a Woburn public can appreciate a good thing when they see it, likewise that his course has been in the highest degree satisfactory. The Evelyn Lyceum Party will close the course next Wednesday evening with one of their first-class exhibitions, the bare announcement of which is enough to draw a full house. The Party are well-known and popular everywhere, and our people may depend on something genuinely good from them on this occasion. Secure seats early so as to avoid the rush, and perhaps disappointment in being barred out altogether.

—The JOURNAL never deals in "taffy," but it practices the sentiment of the song: "say a kind word when you can," and herein it differs from some of its contemporaries who go about with chips on their shoulders inviting fights with their fellow beings from all directions. Kind words cost nothing, but are worth a great deal to those to whom they are spoken. The JOURNAL is not over-burdened with pelf by any means, but it would rather have the good will, the honest regards, the confidence and esteem, and the kind words of the community than its money. And again the JOURNAL doesn't know how to quarrel and wrangle and fight with its neighbors; that isn't the style of its make-up; it is distasteful to it, and it won't do it. Besides, it has lived long enough to become tolerant; to allow people to enjoy their opinions in their own way; not to set a man down as a fool or a knave because he may differ from it in his ideas of things—in short, in the thirty years of its life it has gained some common sense, and common sense and love of our kind teach us to "say a kind word when you can." This isn't "taffy," nor is it made up of the ingredients that "taffy" is said to be composed of.

—The presence of Rev. Edward Mills on our streets the other day seemed quite natural like.

—Another new steel 75-horse boiler has been lately placed in the tannery of Messrs. Bryant & King, making three in all.

—Mr. Fowle, the boot and shoe merchant, will hereafter occupy the store just vacated by Mr. John C. Buck. It is a good location.

—Several legal gentlemen of this borough attended the committee hearing for a District Court in Woburn and doubtless gave considerable tone to the transactions.

—If Mr. V. M. Simonds continues another year his pastorate in Woburn as is highly probable, he will be re-elected a Member of the School Board. This we learn is the general understanding.

—Dr. Bartlett still nurses his arm in a sling, the broken thills have been mended, and the horse that did the upsetting and running away is doing finely. The doctor's arm was pretty badly hurt.

—Diligent enquiry discloses the remarkable fact that there hasn't been a dog fight in town this week. From which some idea may be gained as to the difficulty of the reporter's news-gathering task.

—The Boston Times, one of the best Sunday morning papers published at the Hub, republished "An Astronomical Journal in 2534," a curious piece of writing contributed to the JOURNAL by a Woburn gentleman three weeks since.

—Mr. Jacob Wright of Kilby street informs us that during the whole winter of 1841-2 there was no snow fell here nor any freezing of ponds and water courses. No snow or ice was to be seen anywhere in Woburn during that remarkable winter.

—Why shouldn't Woburn have a woman barber if it wants one? Women are engaged in almost all sorts of pursuits that used to belong exclusively to the men folks, and why not shave, cut hair, trim whiskers, etc. It's all right—let her barber if she likes it.

—A very skillful and popular manipulator of Faber's No. 2, whose sparkling scintillations issue weekly from the neighborhood of 121 Main street, visited one of the schools on Wednesday morning and pronounced it all right. That is all we want to know about the schools.

—People had better take time by the forelock, go into Mr. Frank Pierce's and supply themselves with good rubber boots. The boots will be needed as sure as shoot-in' and that pretty soon, and Pierce has just what will keep people's feet as dry as a woodpecker's hole and warm as peppers.

—The Y. M. C. A. gave a supper and entertainment to the clerks in stores yesterday evening which was well attended and greatly enjoyed. The Association are making vigorous efforts to create a deeper interest in moral and religious matters on the outside, and to bring more of the young men within the reach of their elevating influence.

—On account of various and sundry other goings on in the village the meeting of the Improvement Association was not largely attended on Wednesday evening last. No report of the Committee of Seven was made it being thought best to postpone it until a larger attendance was present. The meeting adjourned to tomorrow, Saturday, evening at 8 o'clock in G. A. R. Hall. Let there be a full turnout.

—It was reported on the streets Monday evening that smallpox had made its appearance in this village. The name of the lady who had the disease was given. Investigation showed that the report was false, and more, that there was no foundation for it. People should be very careful about giving rise and currency to such rumors, and in all cases pronounce them false when they are known to be such. Woburn has had no smallpox this winter, hasn't any now, and don't expect any.

—We have our mind on a man for District Judge who will just fill the bill. At the proper time his name will appear in these columns in connection with a strong plea for his appointment. The JOURNAL flatters itself that its finger will play an important part in that little pie, and without intimating what influence it may have on the JOURNAL's mind all aspirants for the ermine are advised to subscribe for that paper at once and pay their subscriptions in advance. Office hours as usual.

—The storm commenced towards evening on Saturday and continued until Sunday morning, during which time more than a foot of snow fell on a level. This added to the fifteen or twenty inches left of Tuesday's storm covered the earth and things a good deal deeper than they had been for many years before. A high wind accompanied the Saturday night storm which piled the snow in huge drifts, filled the streets to tops of fences, and made getting about almost impossible. Such a sight as was presented on Sunday morning nobody can remember of ever having seen before. The train that left for Boston at 9 o'clock A. M., was nearly two hours in reaching Winchester less than two miles away. The morning train from Boston was three hours late, and had to be shoveled through. Men were at work on the railroad all day, and so cleared it that Monday morning's trains were not much behind time. There was little passing in the streets on Sunday. The town teams and shovellers were out and at work all day breaking roads. The churches were generally empty, and there were few if any evening services held. The wind blew all day Sunday and the sidewalks in many places filled up about as fast as the men could clear them out. Monday was a busy day for everybody. Shovelling snow was the chief employment here. The streets presented a curious and old-time appearance. Huge drifts reared their heads everywhere. Everybody's front doors were packed nearly to the top-lights, and the back yards were so full that mostly the clothes were not hung out. Out of the village the roads were impassable in many places until hours of hard digging had been done. Milk was late in getting in, and grocers' teams were equally late in delivering Monday's dinners. On the whole it was a big thing in the way of a snow storm, and one that deserves a note on the crane along side of those marking the great snows of 1857 and 1867.

—The lecture by Judge Converse was postponed to next Friday evening, February 17.

—High Sheriff Fiske was in town yesterday. His business seemed to be mostly with the postmaster.

—Quite a delegation of Woburn Odd Fellows visited the Lodge at Wakefield on Wednesday evening.

—At the assembly of the Highland Hose Company, held on Thursday evening of last week, in their hall on Green street, about one hundred persons were present, who enjoyed the festivities there offered in the form of excellent music, dancing and refreshments. The company propose to hold another on the evening of the 16th of this month.

—Mrs. Charles Shaw gave a kettle-drum at her pleasant home on Court street last Tuesday evening. Some twenty-five ladies (no gentlemen) were present who spent the hours from 5 to 7 most delightfully over a nice lunch and tea and in social conversation. The party, of course, was composed of ladies moving in the best circles of Woburn society. The kettle-drum is a very sensible custom that meets with the cordial approval of our ladies.

—The lecture of Col. Conwell in the Star Course on Wednesday was excellent. The question of theme being submitted to the house, "Joseph Garibaldi" was taken instead of "Aeres of Diamonds," the former being a new production and a most admirable lecture. Col. Conwell is one of the most eloquent orators in this country, and his lecture on Wednesday evening was highly satisfactory to the audience. Lyceum Hall was nearly filled. Mr. Parker has been very successful in drawing audiences this winter but on no occasion more so than the last. The entertainment was perfectly satisfactory in all respects.

—The annual meeting of the Y. M. C. A. held at their rooms on Tuesday evening for the choice of officers was well attended. The election resulted as follows: John K. Murdock was chosen President; E. Everett Thompson, Vice President; George J. Pindar, Secretary; Thomas Hart, Treasurer; J. P. Barrett, Warren E. Clark, J. Henry Symonds, Charles A. Sweetser, H. Copeland, Thomas Wilson, Charles E. Richardson, J. Howard Nelson, F. B. Kimball, S. A. Thompson, Directors. The Association is in a flourishing condition, and is doing a vast amount of good in this community. Long may it live to help the needy.

—We hear rumors that Woburn is to be treated to one of the finest series of lectures that we have ever had. This is a move in the right direction, and the intelligent people of this town would take pride in supporting such an educational and interesting enterprise. We advocated this last winter, and the time is now ripe for it. We hope to hear more of it and that the thing will be done. Woburn always needs a little stirring up, but there is no town whose people are more interested in educational matters, as our excellent and well supported public schools will testify. Let us have the rumors substantiated.

—On account of immense piles of snow in front of it our reporter met with great difficulty in his search for the institution where justice is meted out to all alike, without fear or favor, and for some time was unable to discover it. His efforts were at last crowned with success and on entering the Hall of the Blind Goddess, His Hon. Judge Converse was found profoundly meditating on—not the Judgement of the new District Court, eh? No; but on a civil case, the decision of which he had reserved, and which seemed to be giving him some anxiety. He pleasantly informed the reporter that business had been very light this week: Terrance Sweeney, illegal keeping intoxicating liquors, continued.

—The residence of E. N. Blake, Esq., on Abbott street, was the scene of a brilliant wedding on last Wednesday evening, when Miss Emma L. Blake, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Blake, and Mr. Joseph A. Parker of Nashua, N. H., were united in the bonds of wedlock. About two hundred invitations were issued, a large share of which were accepted, and when the guests had gathered in the parlors they formed a gay and brilliant party. The rooms presented an inviting and elegant appearance. They were hung with fresh beautiful flowers, vines and plants, and handsome bouquets of costly flowers were scattered around, while over all the chandeliers and gas jets threw a blaze that gave everything a cheerful and pleasant aspect. At 7 o'clock the hymenal knot was tied by Rev. Daniel March, D. D., pastor of the Congregational church, assisted by Rev. Edward Mills, of Eastport, Maine, late pastor of the Baptist church of Woburn, of which the Blakes are attendants. This ceremony was interesting, of course, as it always is, especially to the contracting parties. The bride and groom were conducted to the parlor by ushers, or perhaps they should say "best men," where beneath exquisite bouquets of flowers and vines, the twain were made one in the legal phrase and fitting speech of the clergymen. The bride was attired in ivory white satin, with tulle veil, and a profusion of fragrant orange blossom, while the groom was handsomely dressed in the regulation marriage suit. At the close of the nuptial ceremonies and the customary congratulations, an elaborate wedding supper was served. The guests were bountifully supplied, and before them the tender, juicy meats, the delicious bivalve, the numerous composed cake, and luscious lices disappeared like dew before the morning sun. The presents of friends to the bride were numerous and valuable. They consisted of gold and silver in coin of the realm and useful manufactures, books, pictures, ornaments, and other things. Among them was a beautiful set of Shakespeare from the bride's fellow-graduates of the Woburn High School. The elegant repast concluded, an hour or so was spent in pleasant social intercourse between members of the large and fashionable party, and at 10 o'clock Mr. and Mrs. Parker bid good night to all present, repaired to the train and embarked on their bridal trip to Washington, in making which they expect to use up about two weeks. They carried away with them the good wishes, kind regards and blessings of their many warm friends, in which circle the JOURNAL wishes to be included.

PIANO-FORTE

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—Valentine's Day next Tuesday. The P. O. clerks dread it.

—If the snow hadn't settled some in the last two days we shouldn't say so—you bet. But it has—a great deal.

—On the 22nd of this month High Church people "swear off" from the varieties and frivolities of this mundane sphere.

—The Grattan Literary Association gave their annual ball in Armory Hall on Wednesday evening. It was well attended, and a tip-top time.

—Mr. John S. True, about 2 o'clock yesterday morning, discovered an incipient fire in the freight office at the depot. It originated in a spittoon, and was beginning to get under headway when Mr. True discovered and extinguished it.

—Property to the amount of only \$75,000 has been destroyed in Woburn during the year past, which speaks first rate for our Fire Department. The losses have been generally covered by insurance. We doubt if there is a more effective fire force in any Boston suburb than ours.

—All women interested in the public welfare are invited to meet at the Unitarian Vestry next Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock to consider the plan of establishing a coffee house. This is not a plan of any one religious denomination in this village, but the ladies of all of them have enlisted in it with an earnestness and zeal which augurs well for its success. The good women of Woburn are truly alive to the wants of the community in this direction, and have put their fair shoulders to the wheel for a vigorous lift. Nothing, if conducted with energy, harmony and sense, as this coffee house scheme will be, will prove a more powerful agency for the salvation of young men, and so we bid it God-speed.

—The pines looked the loveliest of anything on Monday morning—indeed, they were about the only things that could be said to look after that fashion. Those in the old burying-ground made an interesting and rather beautiful picture, which transformed to canvas would have produced quite precious keepsakes. Everybody knows how the long fine branches and limbs look when borne down with burdens of snow, so we will not elaborate the subject, but merely remark that we can't just now remember when we saw anything prettier than the pine trees in the old burying-ground were on Monday morning. Somehow they looked almost precisely like Whittier's "Snow-Bound," and we always admired the pictures in that beautiful book.

—The Library Committee at an adjourned meeting, Feb. 6, 1882, appointed Mr. William R. Cutter of Lexington, Librarian, at a salary of nine hundred dollars a year; and the salaries of Miss Pollard and Mr. Francis were increased to \$500 a year each. Mr. Cutter is a Woburn boy, son of Dr. Benjamin and Mary W. Cutter, born in Woburn and educated in our public schools. He has made his local history a matter of special study and has probably more knowledge of it than any other living person. He is the author of the "History of Arlington" and "History of the Cutter Family," and has been for many years a contributor to the Genealogical Register and the Woburn Journal. For the past seven years he has been Treasurer and purchaser of books for the Cary Library of Lexington, and is familiar with all the details of Library work. We welcome him back to his native town, believing that the Committee have made a most proper selection.

—On Friday morning of last week officer Welsh arrested a young lad, giving the name of William Moran, for having in his possession a team which had been stolen in Lowell the day before. Chief Conn had had telegrams to be on the lookout for the thief, which had headed this way, but the thief kept out of the way of the police, and might have eluded the vigilance of the officers had not Mr. G. E. Jones, who knows a team when he sees it, seen a horse and sleigh on Everett street, which he identified as the one wanted. Together with Mr. Welsh they were not long in getting Moran under lock and key. Moran, who is only 16 years of age, said he lived in Natick with his parents, and had gone to Lowell to visit his grandparents. At first he denied stealing the team, but said he got it of another boy who took it, that he had served two terms in the Reformatory, once for breaking and entering and once for larceny of a team, but finally admitted that he did take the team to have a ride toward Boston. The team, which was a valuable one, was very badly used, and it remained at Jones & Doyle's stable for a few days to recruit. Inspector McCallray of Lowell came for Moran and took him to that city.

—The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Selectmen was held in their spacious and elegant quarters in Bank Block, on Tuesday evening last for the transaction of business, considerable of which was disposed of. For example: Chairman Skinner and Clerk Hill were appointed to attend the hearing before the Public Health Committee of the Legislature on the Mystic Valley nuisance, on February 14, and to look after Woburn's interests thereat. The polite and cordial invitation extended to the Board to attend the Policemen's Ball was gratefully accepted, and the members will all be there in evening dress. The question of coasting on the streets was referred to Committee on Police with full powers to act in the premises. [The boys and girls are not in bad hands, at all.] Thomas H. Hill, Robert H. Corry, and Leonard Thompson were appointed a committee on printing the Town Reports [Now for an unseasonably scramble for money among the printers]. The Assessors were authorized to settle with the Collector of taxes—Mr. Simonds. Voted to hold a special meeting for the approval of bills on February 28, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. The customary monthly bills were passed upon, when the meeting adjourned.

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—Mr. Moses J. Pearson fell through his barn floor the other day and was slightly hurt.

—The members of the St. Charles Sunday School Teacher's Association will hold a reunion next week.

—About noon yesterday Austin Crowell, a freight brakeman on the B. & C. R. R., while shacking cars in the Woburn yards, was backed onto and quite badly injured. A car wheel ran over his left foot breaking two of his toes, bruising considerably the top, and scraping the shinbone badly. Dr. Harlow examined Crowell and sent him home instead of to the Hospital.

—The select assembly given by the members of Major A. L. Richardson and J. Bates dancing school in Armory Hall, has been postponed from Feb. 21 to Feb. 22, Washington's Birthday. Tickets 75 cents, admitting gentlemen and ladies, limited to 50. Those desiring tickets would do well to secure them at once of the committee as it may be a cold day.

—Since Major Alonzo L. Richardson has been promoted to the Lieut. Colonelcy of the Fifth Regiment, it may not be out of place to give his military record since leaving the Army of the Rebellion. It is as follows: Joined Co. G, (Woburn Mechanic Phalanx) June, 1866; appointed Corporal, February, 1868; Sergeant, July, 1868; elected Second Lieut., May 21, 1869; First Lieut., August 20, 1872; Captain, August 1, 1875; Major of the Regt., July 24, 1878; Lieut. Colonel, February 7, 1882. At each election Col. Richardson always received a unanimous vote, and while Captain of Co. G, never failed to take a larger number to camp at the annual encampments than any other commander—the first year taking the full company. This is a good record.

Vennor's Guess at February.

February likely to enter with snow storms at many points, chiefly to west and southward, these turning to rain storms toward and on the 4th and 5th. The 5th will probably usher in a week of mildness, with rains and floods west and south, viz.: in Ontario, western and middle states. A general break up of the winter in the majority of sections. The 11th and 12th will probably bring a return of colder and blustery weather, with snow falls, and rain in some quarters. The week between the 11th and 18th is likely to give alternations of mildness spent with snow and rain storms, these becoming more severe toward the end of the week, the 17th or 18th giving general snow falls. The 19th will probably usher in a terrible week of rain storms (snow in some quarters) and floods, with days of very high winds and gales. These will be more marked in western and southern sections of country, and will terminate in generally colder weather and heavy snow falls toward the 25th and 26th days and entry of March.—From Vennor's Weather Bulletin.

NORTH WOBURN.

A brace of clerical looking gentlemen visited here on Thursday in search of a dog-fighter and trainer.

The next entertainment in the Chapel Course will be given on the evening of February 24, and consist of a grand concert. The course has been very handsomely patronized so far, and no doubt the last of the series will be equally well attended. More anon.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—During hard traveling and heavy storms the North Woburn Street Railroad will run as follows, viz.: Leave No. Woburn at 6.45, 8.15, a. m.; 12.30, 3.10, 3.30, 7.30, p. m. Return, Leave Woburn Centre at 7.30, 9.00, a. m.; 1.40, 3.50, 6.10, 8.10, p. m.

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—A citizen of Stoneham by the name of Dodge was driving through our streets on Tuesday when his horse turned the sleigh over and galloped off as rapidly as the snow would allow.

[Lockport (Ill.) Register.]

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BURLINGTON.

The funeral of Samuel Dean, a soldier of the war, occurred Thursday, and was attended by representatives of the Woburn Post of the G. A. R.

Col. Russell H. Conwell, the eloquent and very popular platform orator, will lecture in this place next Monday evening. A very large audience is expected, for Col. Conwell always draws big houses.

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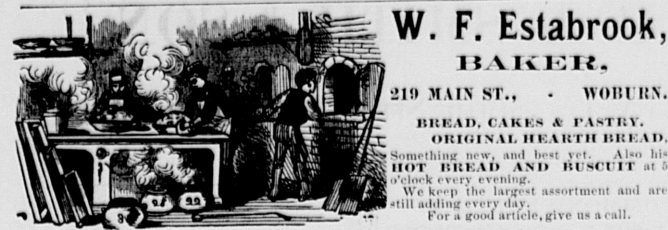
The monthly magazine for February of GOLDEN DAYS, a magazine for Boys and Girls, published at Philadelphia by James Tiverson, at \$5.00 per annum, has found its way to our table where it is always warmly welcomed. We regard it as one of the very best of our American publications for the instruction and amusement of young people, and even boys and girls of larger growth take pleasure in the perusal of its sparkling pages. The table of contents of the current number comprises a long list of very interesting articles, including serials, short stories, sketches, poetry, nearly all finely illustrated by the best artists. Each weekly part contains an illustrated text Sunday's Sunday School lesson which alone is worth more than the price of the magazine.

MEETINGS FOR NEXT WEEK. CONGREGATIONAL.—The Pastor will preach at 10.30 a. m.; Young People's Meeting at 6; Monthly Concert at 7 p. m.; The usual Meetings on Wednesday and Friday evenings.

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How to Run.
Very few boys know how to run.
"Ho, ho!" says a dozen boys. "Just
bring on the boy that can run faster than I
can!"

But, stop a moment. I don't mean that
most boys can't run fast—I mean they can't
run far. I don't believe there is one boy in
fifty, of those who may read this, who can
a quarter of a mile at a good smart pace
without having to blow like a porpoise by
the time he has made his distance. And
how many boys are there who can run, fast
or slow, a full mile without stopping?

It hardly speaks well for our race, does it,
that almost any animal in creation that pre-
tends to run at all can outrun any of us?

Take the smallest terrier-dog you can
find, that is sound and not a puppy, and try
a race with him. He'll beat you badly.
He'll run a third faster than you can, and
ten times as far, and with legs no more than
six inches long. I have a hound so active
that he always runs at least seventy-five
miles when I stay a day in the woods with
him; for he certainly runs more than seven
miles an hour, and if I am gone ten hours,
you see he must travel about seventy-five
miles of distance. And then, a good hound
will sometimes follow a fox for two days and
nights without stopping, going more than
three hundred and fifty miles, and he will do
it without sleeping or drinking.

Then, you may have heard how some of
the runners in South Africa tribes will run
for long distances—hundreds of miles—car-
rying dispatches, and making very few stop-
pings.

I make these comparisons to show that our
boys who cannot run a mile without being
badly winded are very poor runners.

But I believe I can tell the boys some-
thing that will help them to run better. I
was a pretty old boy when I first found it
out, but the first time I tried it I ran a mile
and a quarter at one dash, and I was not
wary nor blown. And now I am going to
give you the secret:

Breathe through your nose!

I had been thinking what poor runners we
are, and wondering why the animal s can
run so far, and it came to me that perhaps
this might account for the difference, that
they always take air through the nose, while
we usually begin to puff through our
mouths before we have gone many rods.

Some animals, such as the dog and the fox,
do open their mouths and pant, but they do
this to cool themselves, and not because
they cannot get air enough through their
noses.

I found once, through a sad experience
with a pet dog, that dogs must die if their
nostrils become stopped. They will breathe
through the mouth only while it is forcibly
held open; if left to themselves they always
breathe through the nose.

So, possibly, we are intended to take all
our breath through the nose, unless neces-
sity drives us to breathe through the mouth.

There are many other reasons why we
ought to make our noses furnish all the air
to our lungs. One is, the nose is filled with
a little forest of hair, which is always kept
moist, like all the inner surfaces of the
nose, and particles of dust that would oth-
erwise rush into the lungs and make trouble,
are caught and kept out by this hairy net-
work. Then the passages of the nose are
longer, and smaller, and more crooked than
that of the mouth, so that as it passes
through them the air becomes warm. But
there are only a few reasons why the nose
ought not to be switched off and left idle,
as so many noses are, while their owners
go puffing through their mouths.

All trainers of men for racing and row-
ing, and all other athletic contests, un-
derstand this, and teach their pupils ac-
cordingly. If the boys will try this plan,
they will soon see what a difference it will
make in their endurance. After you have
run a few rods holding your mouth tightly
closed, there will come a time when it will
seem as though you could not get air enough
through the nose alone; but don't give up;
keep right on, and in a few moments you
will overcome this. A little practice of this
method will go far to make you the best
runner in the neighborhood.—Theo. B. Wil-
son, St. Nicholas for February, 1882.

What is so delightful as sunlight? Take
one of these perfect, winter days, when the
air without is sharp, but crystal clear. Now
come into a room all flooded with the bright
rays of the noon-tide sun. How it cheers
and warms the body! Then turn and pass
into a cold, dark room where sunlight never
falls. Could anything be more gloomy and
depressing. It is a real prison to the body.
And just like the rooms are many human
souls in their influence on others. One is
so full of kindness, and hope, and love, that
his goodness and buoyancy penetrate your
soul as well as his, and in the light of his
contentment the world is transfigured, and
glows with light and love. And another—
why, his touch is like ice; and a chill creeps
over all the room as soon as he enters. You
feel it as you feel the mist from the ocean;
and your spirit dampens, and the light pales,
and all the world seems cold and dark.
Which of these souls is ours?—Golden Rule.

To-day's duty is the only true provision
for to-morrow, and those who are careful
about the morrow are but the more likely
to bring its troubles upon them by the neglect
of duty which care brings. Some say that
care for the morrow is what distinguishes
the man from the beast; certainly it is one
of the many things that distinguish the slave
of nature from the child of God.—George
Macdonald.

[Battle Creek, (Mich.) Daily Journal.]
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STATEMENT UNDER OATH.

"I HAVE been afflicted for twenty years with an
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Poriasis, and others Leprosy, commencing on my
scalp, and in spite of all I could do, with the help of
the most skillful doctors, it slowly but surely extend-
ed until a year ago this winter it covered my entire
person in form of dry scales. For the last three
years I have been unable to do any labor, and suffer-
ing intensely all the time. Every morning there
could be nearly a teaspoonful of scales taken from
the sheet on my bed, some of them half as large as the
envelope containing this letter. In the latter part of
the winter my skin commenced cracking open. I
tried everything almost, that could be thought of,
without relief. The 12th of June I started west in
hopes I could reach the Hot Springs. I reached
Detroit, and was so low I thought I should have to
go to the hospital, but finally gave up for as Lansing,
Mich., where I had a sister living. One Dr. ———
treated me about two weeks, but did me no good. All
thought I had but a short time to live. I earnestly
prayed to be cured. Cracked through the skin all over
my back, across my ribs, arms, hands, limbs, feet
badly swollen, toe nails came off, finger nails did
not grow, and I was in a state of great suffering.
Oh my God! how I did suffer! I would give
up; said 'We will try Cuticura.' Some was applied
on one hand and arm. Eureka! there was relief.
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go. They immediately got the Cuticura Resolvent
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HIRAM E. CARPENTER,
Henderson, Jefferson Co., N. Y.
Sworn before me, this 19th day of January,
1880.
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CHURCH DIRECTORY.

First (Trin.) Congregational, Main street, cor-

ner of Common. Rev. Daniel March, D. D., pastor.

North Trin. Congregational, Main street,

North Woburn. Rev. Charles Anderson, pastor.

First Baptist, Main street, corner of Park. Rev.

Edward Mills, pastor.

First Methodist Episcopal, Main street, corner

of Walnut. Rev. V. M. Simons, pastor.

Methodist Mission Chapel, Montvale Ave.,

East Woburn. Rev. J. H. Mason, pastor.

First Unitarian, Pleasant street, corner Winn.

Rev. George H. Young, pastor.

Unitarian Chapel Association, Minot street,

North Woburn.

Trinity Episcopal, Main street, opposite Frank-

lin. Rev. J. Frank, pastor.

Swedenborgian, Central street, E. Woburn, No.

pastor.

Roman Catholic, St. Charles. Corner of Main and

Summer streets. Revs. John Quenly, Michael D.

Murphy, and M. F. McDonnell, pastors.

Roman Catholic, St. Joseph's, Washington St.,

East Woburn. Rev. C. O'Connor, pastor.

The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1882.

THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of S. Horton, 105 Main Street, R. Robinson, 124 Main Street, E. F. Carter, Cambridge, J. P. Tyler, North Woburn, Cooper's News Stand at the Centre Depot, and at G. P. Brown's, Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

THE JUDGESHIP.

The JOURNAL takes it for granted that the Legislature will establish the Woburn District Court. There is no opposition to it that we have heard of, hence our conclusion.

Next comes the question of Judgeship. Who is to have it? Woburn can have its say in the matter if its lawyers unite on a man. If they do not, some other locality will carry off the prize.

Judge Littlefield of Winchester is a strong candidate and is making an active canvass. In point of ability he is the peer of the best of them; in point of locality his appointment would look a good deal like the tail wagging the dog. He is a good lawyer and has had large experience in the trial of cases.

From talks with Woburn lawyers we conclude that they could better unite on Judge Converse than any other person, though lawyer Bond and others are mentioned with approval. Judge Converse has virtually filled the place, as Trial Justice, for a long time, and on the whole has given general satisfaction. He is a little prone to let lawyers before him go without check-rein or martingale, but that is not a bad fault—it is of the heart and not of the head.

But this is neither here nor there: Woburn lawyers must bestir themselves and unite on a man, else Judge Littlefield will get the appointment, unless Burlington puts in a claim, in which event the JOURNAL would favor Mr. Sewall, should Gov. Long think it prudent or advisable to appoint a layman.

ANCIENT AND DRY.

*** Rum is mischievous, therefore shoot any man who sells it. Pistols are dangerous weapons, therefore do not punish the man who commits murder, but shoot the man who made the pistol or who sold the pistol. Do not hold men responsible for their conduct in the use of what is dangerous, but shoot any one who sells the weapons. Poisons are dangerous, but do not punish the man who administers the murderous bane, but shoot the man who sold it. Such nonsense as that in the above paragraph hinders the cause of temperance more than all the opposition that comes from the organized efforts of drinking people. Hold all men, we say responsible for their conduct and punish drunkenness and illicit selling impartially. Let us have a little common sense.—*Cambridge Tribune.*

This is the same old story, (arguments, illustrations and all) that rum-sellers, and their champions, have used from time immemorial, and are as stale and dry as anything can possibly be. We thought the *Tribune* capable of doing much better than to repeat such nonsensical stuff; and we believe now that, if it had tried hard, it might have said something that had not been said a thousand times before. Its illustrations are the most ancient of old acquaintances, and it is high time that somebody got up a set of new ones to take their places. Its logic is equally fresh, keen and convincing.

SPRING ELECTION.

It is approaching. Day by day it draws nearer. It and candidates are being talked about, and for ought we know deep plans are already laid for carrying the election. Town meeting is an important annual event. It is one in which the common people take a deep interest. As the JOURNAL has had occasion heretofore to remark, grave interests depend on it.

Occasionally something about a "citizens' ticket" strikes our ear. An honest movement in that direction would doubtless meet the hearty approval of some. It has a popular sound, and is sometimes a good thing for the town.

Minorities generally favor "citizens' tickets"; majorities, hardly ever (excuse this Pinocchio allusion). The JOURNAL leans towards them when conducted on business principles, whether it be the under or upper dog in politics.

If Hon. John Cummings should conclude to shy his castor into the congressional ring in the fifth district, he will come off victorious, thinks the WOBURN JOURNAL. Gen. Lawrence of Medford, the JOURNAL says, is in training, and there are those who talk up the fitness of Mr. Hayes. And then last, but not least, we have the Hon. S. Z. Bowman of Somerville. He is a stalwart of the "stallwarts," and just now it pays to have a clean bill of health to show. We mean one that has no half-breed finger marks upon it.—*Boston Post.*

The meaning of stalwart according to the *Post's* dictionary is one of the things that we do not know; nevertheless what it says about Mr. Bowman and his particular political persuasion just now suggests the thought that possibly all candidates in this District for Congress next fall will have to submit to a competitive examination, so to speak, and subscribe to Articles of Faith, or be left out in the cold. There is a good deal of political heresy and considerable many heretics, not to mention backsliders, lying around, which will render extreme caution in making a selection next summer of the first importance.

According to all accounts the Committee hearing on the application for an extension of the charter of the Mystic Valley Railroad held on Tuesday did not amount to much. The proprietors and parties interested in the move were not properly represented before the Committee, and no case for extension was made out. If they have not already done so, the Committee will probably give the petitioners leave to withdraw.

Last Wednesday the Lynn Bee changed its old dress for a new one, put on a new head, in which it makes a neat and lovable appearance. The Bee is smart.

It is understood that in redistricting the State under the new apportionment bill (if it ever passes) Lynn, Nahant, etc., will be severed from the towns and cities heretofore, and included in a new District or attached to an old one. In which case Mr. Bowman and Mr. Lodge will not compete for a seat in Congress, and Mr. Bowman's chances will be greatly enhanced thereby.

The *New Enterprise* is a paper recently established at Charlestown by Messrs. S. C. Hunt & Co. It looks first rate and reads first rate, and here's success to the new launch.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

Conc. Ladies—S. M. L. L. Co.
J. M. Ellis & Co.—Notice.
G. A. Andrews—Removal.
J. E. Fowle—do
Tenn. Jub. Sing.—Concert.

Business in rubber boots has been brisk at Frank Pierce's this week.

"Patience" will be played here by a Boston company about the first of March.

Read Dean Dudley's communication respecting his lost boy on the outside of this paper.

They say the Chicago refrigerator meat market near the R. R. freight house is doing a large business.

Mr. Woodbury, the dry goods merchant at 157 Main street, has occupied his present store 47 years.

Mr. G. W. Andrews has moved from the Fowle store to rooms over Hartwell's market, as will be seen by his card.

Mr. Peter Kenney furnished the supper for the Police Ball and it was a good one. He is one of the best caterers in the country.

We note with pleasure that Mr. C. C. Couillard has resumed his regular daily trips to the city, and seems to be all trim and taut again.

It was a capital idea on the part of somebody to put some ladies on the Executive Committee of the Improvement Association. "Ladies, God bless 'em!"

Last week Capt. Converse appointed Corp. C. E. Kimball to be 5th sergeant of Phalanx, and Privates A. G. Halladay and Edward E. Stowers to be Corporals.

We understand that Woburn will be a unit when it comes to naming a man to fill the bench of the new District Court, which fixes the flint of all outside candidates.

Mr. S. Horton has on his counters the March magazines including *HANSEN'S*, the best out. Literary weeklies and all dailies are also found on the same well-filled counters.

Last Sunday morning Rev. Mr. Young pronounced a eulogy on the late Dr. Bellows at the Unitarian church. We expect to publish it next week, providence permitting.

The snow disappeared very rapidly during the fore part of the week, aided and assisted by the town's teams and men who put in good time in hauling it from the streets.

Venor said that the winter of 1881-2 would break, or rather its backbone would, about the middle of February, and it looks a little as though he understood what he was talking about.

We hear that Mr. Julius Ramsdall, who resides at the corner of Pleasant and Court streets, is talking of purchasing the residence on Glenwood street lately sold by Mr. Clarence Littlefield.

The card containing the statement of the Middlesex Mutual Fire Insurance Company of which Mr. James N. Dow is local agent, is as handsome a piece of work as we have seen in many a day.

"Red Rover, Saco," a barge that has taken the place of the North Woburn street railway cars during the snow embargo, looks as natural as rolling off a log. It is evidently a Down East production.

The Young People's Union of the Unitarian church will give a Dime Entertainment on next Thursday evening, at which more enjoyment can be got for ten cents than is commonly bought for half a dollar.

Shop-lifters and other varieties of thieves are quite apt to find Woburn a hard road but a sure one to the penitentiary. Our officers have an eye out for the gentry all the time, and it is hard for them to make much here.

Peru. Docs.—Per kindness of our Representative in Congress the library of this office has lately been enriched by the addition of a volume of the reports on Agriculture for 1880. For which our grateful acknowledgments are tendered.

At the request of Hon. S. Z. Bowman, Commissioner Loring has forwarded to us several papers of farm and garden seeds which will be planted in due season, the fruit harvested, and a report of the same sent to the Department of Agriculture.

Attention is called to the card of Messrs. J. M. Ellis & Co., in this paper, by which it will be seen that they are still living and serving the public promptly and with satisfaction as usual. The job wagon will be found at the old stand at the Post-office.

The Lowell Journal had this to say concerning one of our ministers: "Rev. Mr. Young of Woburn, believes in taxing churches just as other property is taxed, and he preached a sermon on the subject a week ago last Sunday. Mr. Young evidently has the courage of his convictions."

The window in Mr. A. E. Thompson's store at which Mr. Parker's desk has stood for so long has been transformed into a handsome show window which, meaning no offense to anybody, is an improvement all round. Filled with nice things it looks first rate. Mr. Parker is a handsome man, but he isn't quite up to show-windows.

The Woburn reporter for the Boston Globe takes a very hopeful view of the condition of the M. V. R. R., and indulges in some roseate pencillings in Wednesday afternoon's edition of that paper concerning its future. There is encouragement in his words which it is doubtful if the facts fully warrant; but if he takes comfort in his belief and can fill other hearts with the same commodity nobody ought to grumble.

The company are busy at it putting up telephones and pretty soon the town will be all alive with them.

There has been heaps of good work done by the authorities this week in having snow carted out of the streets.

According to the books of the Town Clerk 447 dogs were licensed last year, from which a revenue of \$894 was reaped.

Last week the JOURNAL gave expression of its fears of slush. They were realized to the fullest extent, for there has been a gentle sufficiency of slush and stuff this week.

The Shakespeare class begins the last half of the course next Monday evening with studying King John. Tickets for the remaining six lessons \$1.50. Single evening 35 cents.

It is said that the four condemned cannon given by Congress to Post 33, G. A. R., will be placed in a new soldier's lot in the cemetery—or a lot to take the place of the present soldiers' one.

It is a little singular that certain of our business men do not employ electric lights to illuminate their stores with instead of gas. They might pool their issues and make the light come cheap.

Last week representations of the Waltham Water Board were over here for the purpose of making an examination of the Woburn Water Works for ideas to be applied to the improvement of their own.

The vital statistics of the town show this, per Clerk Seeley's records; for the year: marriages, 113; births, 324—163 males, 161 females; deaths, 136—males 99, female 97—four of the deaths were of persons over ninety years old, and eleven over 80.

Mr. Mark Allen must be very popular with the theatre-goers at Lawrence, for the manager of the Opera House Company there has engaged him to play again to-morrow evening. It is a mighty good thing for a "poor editor," as well as a young lady, to have "more than one string to his bow."

On the evening of the 10th of March next, Crystal Fount Lodge, I. O. O. F., will give a dress ball which people predict will be the social, fashionable and terpsichorean event of the season. Already several dresses for it are under way, and everybody almost is contemplating the affair with great pleasure.

Mr. Joseph Kelley of Church street, says the remarkably open winter of which Mr. Jacob Wright gave an account in last week's JOURNAL, was in 1842-3. Instead of 1841-2, as Mr. Wright had. Not remembering anything about it ourselves we will let these two worthy gentlemen settle it between them.

A German was given by Mrs. William B. Doyle at her residence on Church Avenue, on an evening too late for mention in last week's JOURNAL. There were about thirty present—a very select party—by whom the occasion was greatly enjoyed. There were several elegant toilets in the company, and all were richly and fashionably attired. Mrs. Doyle acted the hostess admirably.

On the evening of the 4th Thursday of April there is to be a musical entertainment in Lyceum Hall somewhat after the style of Penelope which is expected to take the cake. We know all about what it is, the names of the managers, and who the performers are going to be, but don't propose to let on any further about it at this time, except to remark that it will be a big thing.

For the current quarter Mr. Wood, the Station Agent here, sold one hundred and twenty-six tickets, which with those sold in Boston would make the total of 3-month tickets to Woburn-Boston passengers about one hundred and fifty. In addition to these a large number of monthly tickets are sold, piles of commutation tickets, and the three together fall a good deal short of representing the amount of travel between Woburn and the city.

Mr. L. B. Norris has sold his box manufacturing business here to Mr. Parks of Providence, R. I., who took possession last Monday. He purchased Mr. Norris's stock of lumber, and rented the mill, and will continue the same business. The tenants occupying room in the mill will be supplied with power as heretofore. Mr. Norris's health was such that he could not carry on the large business advantageously, and so sold it out to Mr. Parks.

Mr. Joseph Kelley has handed us a late copy of the *Exeter* (N. H.) *News-Letter*, which contains an article on Lord Timothy Dexter, the eccentric genius of Newburyport in its palmy days. The article is interesting to Mr. Kelley because it was fifty years ago the 22d of this month that he went from Exeter, his native place, to Newburyport to celebrate Washington's Birthday, and it is also interesting to everybody who ever heard of Lord Timothy Dexter, his fantastical house now standing in Newburyport, his images, and the cargo of warning-pans he sent to the West Indies.

The Fireman's hall which was held on last Friday evening in Lyceum Hall by the Gilchrist Hook & Ladder Co., No. 1, of this town, was a brilliant affair in every respect. As it was an event which had not occurred for eight years here in town all the more energy and determination was put forth by the members of that company to make it an attractive and enjoyable evening for the many that did attend, and they succeeded admirably. From eight until nine a concert was given by the orchestra—which by the way gave the greatest satisfaction—in which solos were rendered by Mr. Thomas Marrinan and Mr. Fred Robbins of this town. The floor was under the supervision of Foreman Frank H. Leathe, assisted by an efficient corps of aids from the members of the company. Chief Littlefield led the grand march, followed by Engineers Poole, Parker, McGovern and Harrington, visiting firemen with their ladies from the towns of Waltham, Wakefield, Malden Stoneham, Reading and many other places, and members of the Woburn department all in all making about one hundred couples. The order, which was a long one, kept the music ringing until five o'clock in the morning, when the dancing ceased and the party left for their homes, though not before the visitors had partaken of a breakfast provided by the Hookies in their truck house on Montvale Avenue.

Ferrin's case was before the Grand Jury on Monday.

A fine assortment of Cream Spanish Laces just received at C. A. Smith & Son's.

James Smith had his foot badly hurt with an ice-hook on Horn Pond the other day.

There were heaps of fun for Mr. Postmaster Wyman and his courteous clerks on Valentine's Day.

Of course next Wednesday, Feb. 22, Washington's Birthday, will be duly celebrated in this town.

There is not an establishment in Boston that turns out better photographic work than Mr. H. E. Strout does here in Woburn. Everybody says so.

On March 17, the St. Charles Dramatic Club will present "Rory O'More," at St. John's Institute Hall.

If the sidewalks are moist anywhere in town it is along and just this side of the Library grounds. Of late the moisture has been about eight inches deep in places.

A gentleman of this town who is nobody's fool offers to bet large money that Woburn will have another railroad to Boston within eighteen months from the date hereof. There's the pluck for you!

Mr. Dow, Major Hall and others must have felt highly flattered when informed by the attorney of the B. & L. R. Co., at the Committee hearing last Tuesday, that the Mystic Valley owners and managers were a scaly lot at the best. Neither did the Woburn people know before that they were such snappers. But live and learn.

The musical programme for the evening of the 5th was carried out at the Unitarian church last Sunday evening. There was a crowded house, and everybody was delighted with the music—vocal and instrumental. It would be a very nice thing for the people if our Unitarian pastor and brethren would continue these delightful vespers.

Dea. Cragin will please accept our thanks for copies of the JOURNAL of November 22, 1851, and October 3, 1857, for which he was a subscriber at those dates, and always has been. The first was six weeks old, the JOURNAL having been established in September, 1851—nearly 31 years ago—and contains the cards of many citizens of that date who have since gone to their reward. There is a sort of pleasure in looking over these weekly records of old times by those who are familiar with the people, things and pursuits mentioned.

Our police were fortunate on Tuesday in arresting two young men who had robbed the store of J. W. Hammond, clothier. Since the middle of last summer our town has been visited several times by two fellows, who had a team, and whose plan of action was to leave the team a short distance off of Main street, and both enter some of our clothing houses within a few moments of each other. One would attract the attention of the proprietor while the other took such goods as he could hardly put under his coat. Mr. John C. Buck was twice visited during the warm months, and as a result lost a few pairs of pantaloons. On Tuesday about noon Chief Conn was informed that the lads had been in town during the forenoon, and having reason to believe they might still be in a neighboring town, immediately dispatched Mr. Welsh to Winchester in a sleigh, while he went to that town by rail. The Chief found the men as they were boarding the train for Boston, and, finding a lot of pants in their possession, put them in irons and brought them to Woburn. After some search it was found that the goods belonged to Mr. Hammond. The older man gave the name of Lewis but the police have reason to believe that his name is J. C. Hayes. He was a fine appearing man, and all his actions indicated that he was a professional. The younger was very poorly dressed, and is no doubt a sneak thief. On Wednesday they appeared before Judge Converse who bound them to the Supreme Court in the sum of \$1,000 each.

An adjourned meeting of the Woburn Improvement Association was held in Grand Army Hall on last Saturday evening, and was well attended. It was called to order by the Chairman, Mr. Charles B. Bryant, who stated the object of the meeting, and also announced that the Committee on Organization, chosen at a former meeting, were ready to report. The question of organizing at that time was discussed by several gentlemen, who also submitted interesting remarks on the subjects and aims of the society in a general way. In the absence of the Secretary the minutes of the last meeting were read by Mr. T. H. Hill. The Committee on Constitution and By-Laws made a report, and that part of it which referred to a Constitution was adopted. The report of officers of the organization was also adopted as follows: President, Charles B. Bryant; Vice Presidents, Benjamin Hinckley, Joseph G. Pollard, James Maguire, John Cummings, Daniel W. Bond, B. F. Whittemore, David D. Hart, E. D. Hayden, Charles Choate; Treasurer, Alva S. Wood; Secretaries, Charles A. Jones, S. F. Trull; Executive Committee, Thomas H. Hill, John W. Johnson, John I. Munroe, E. W. Hudson, Jacob Brown, George Fowle, Thomas Salmon, John R. Carter, Gawn H. Gage, James Skinner, Griffin Place, E. W. Champney, William T. Grammer, John Johnson F. S. Burgess, M. M. Tidd, J. G. Maguire, William Johnson, Mrs. Timothy Winn, Mrs. Charles D. Adams, Miss Hattie E. Blake, Mrs. Charles G. Lung, Mrs. John S. True, Miss Maria Carter. Messrs. B. F. Whittemore, G. W. Norris and Thomas H. Hill were appointed a committee to draft By-Laws and report at the next meeting. An encouraging spirit prevailed the meeting, and "business" seemed to be the cardinal idea of all present. The Constitution adopted differed but little from the general form of organic laws for such associations, name of course and some other matters excepted. First-rate and successful business men have taken hold of this movement and with decent encouragement from the people generally the Association may be made a powerful influence for the town's material good. Everybody ought to encourage it. There should be a membership of several hundred, with which and a fair amount of energy a power of good will result to the town.

PIANO-FORTE

AND HARMONY INSTRUCTION.

MISS MERTENA L. BANCROFT,

Residence, Franklin St., Woburn. 36.39

The Y. M. C. A. will probably hold their Fair the third week in March.

The Jubilee singers propose to hold forth in Lyceum Hall next Sunday evening.

Alex. Smith had all the flesh taken off the back of his left hand by a fletcher on Thursday.

Snow is about all gone. There'll be more of it before the top of "March Hill" is reached.

The St. Charles S. S. T. Association held their annual reunion last Tuesday evening and had a nice time.

Read over the card of the Tennessee Jubilee Singers in this paper. All the particulars are given therein—study them.

The musical notes of the depot bell is what gives a charm to Woburn life. Folks could hardly keep home without them.

Tomorrow Mr. Mark Allen's sanctum sanctorum will be telephonically connected with the outside world; then, gentlemen, stand from under.

The most active and at the same time the most obliging and gentlemanly newsboy on the B. & L. & C. R. R., is Master Eli Cooper, aged 78 years—a Woburn lad, too.

On the evening of February 23, Perseverance Division S. of T. will give an antiquarian supper in Temperance Hall, corner of Main street and Montvale Avenue.

John White's baby, a year old, and a pair of sharp-pointed scissors fell from Mrs. White's lap at the same moment on Wednesday evening, and the lip of the babe received a bad cut.

Will the Superintendent of Streets please throw his eyes on that part of Main street sidewalk, between Union and Broad streets, on easterly side? It is almost impassable on account of the mud.

On Sunday night, last, Mr. Charles Lincoln found a team at Montvale without a driver. He brought it to the Centre, and gave it in the care of the police. The next day it was found that it belonged in Stoneham.

Modesty compels us to exclude the following item, from an esteemed contemporary, from these columns: "We still hold to the opinion that Bro. Hobbs will be just the man for Judge of the new District Court to be established." We wish we weren't so bashful.

Yesterday the Selectmen made their annual official visit to the almshouse and took their annual official dinner thereat—the first square meal that some of them had had for a year. On next Wednesday the Highway Department will undergo examination minus the dinner.

Mr. J. E. Fowle has removed his boot and shoe store to 174 Main street recently occupied by Mr. John C. Buck. The store is being fitted and furnished up in real neat style, Mr. N. E. Mellindy, a master-hand at the brush, doing the painting. In a few days Mr. Fowle will have his place shipshape for visitors.

Mr. Mark Allen donned his best bib and tucker on Wednesday afternoon and repaired to the intellectual centre of the universe, meaning Boston, to participate in a Press reunion held somewhere in that burg—probably at the Vendome—and take in the theatres (not the variety sort) in the evening. Such gallivanting about will do for some folks, but it is well for the community at large that all editors are not given to such vain and idle carryings-on.

So far as we are able to learn, the case of Mr. Rufus Pickering, who is still at the Mass. Gen. Hos., is favorable. He has had a very severe turn of it, and during several days it was reported that he could live but a short time; but the latest news puts a different complexion on the case, and makes it much more favorable. There are good grounds to hope that amputation of his leg will not be necessary, and that he will not only live through the siege but soon recover.

About as handsome a picture as we have laid our eyes on lately is the portrait of Mr. Thomas White's child on exhibition in the show window at 187 Main street. It is a portrait landscape done in water colors for Mr. Charles R. Rosenquist, who is giving our people some excellent work. The child in the picture stands on a flight of vine-wreathed stairs which overlook a pellucid stream of water, fresh meadows, and mountains in the background, the whole forming a beautiful land and water-scape, the value of which is greatly enhanced by the genuine portrait of the handsome child. As a work of art to the picture is entitled to much praise, and we suspect neighbor White will set a store by it.

The final entertainment in the Star Course was given last Wednesday evening. There was a first rate band, and on the whole the concert was satisfactory. Many parts of it were excellent. Frank Gilder and his piano "took" immensely with the audience, and when he gave them "Way Down upon the Suwanee River," and "Near My God, to Thee" you could hear a pin drop in the hall. The cornet wasn't over and above good—but by and large it was a very enjoyable thing. Mr. T. Marvin Parker, the manager and proprietor, has given our people a fine course—one of the very best ever attended in Woburn; in return the people have generously given him their presence and shakels. Which was just as it ought to have been. We hope Mr. Parker will remember this community next season.

Cancers and other Tumors are treated with unusual success by World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y. Send stamp for pamphlet.

Important to Travelers. Special inducements are offered you by the Burlington House. It will pay you to read their advertisement to be found elsewhere in this issue.

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MEETINGS FOR NEXT WEEK.

CONGREGATIONAL.—The Pastor will preach at 10.30 a. m. Young People's Meeting at 6; Sunday School Concert at 7 p. m. The usual service for Wednesday evening will be held on Friday evening.

BAPTIST.—Preaching by Rev. H. G. Safford of South Framingham, at 10.30 a. m.; Young People's Meeting at 6; Prayers and Conference Meeting at 7; Conference meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

EPISCOPAL.—Quinquagesima Sunday, Feb. 19. At 10.30 a. m.; Easter in the palace of Husham; 12, Sunday School; at 7.30 p. m., Death bed repentance.

UNITARIAN.—At 10.30 a. m. the Pastor will preach, Sunday School at 11.45 a. m. Lecture at 7 p. m. by the pastor on "The Life and Services of Thomas Paine." Thursday evening a fine entertainment in charge of the Young People's Union.

Y. M. C. A.—Praise meeting Sunday at 4 o'clock, led by J. G. Pollard; Bible class Monday evening at 7.45; Prayer and Consecration meeting Wednesday evening at 8.30, led by Charles E. Richardson.

REFORMED EPISCOPAL.—Preaching by Rev. E. H. Jenkins, a former rector of the Established Church of England, at the Y. M. C. A. Rooms on Sunday, at 10.30 a. m. All are invited.

SWEDENBORGIAN CHAPEL, EAST WOBURN.—Public service at 10.45 a. m.; Sunday school at 12.

MONTVALE MISSION CHAPEL.—Rev. J. H. Mason pastor. Preaching Sunday morning at 10.45; Sunday school at 12; prayer meeting at 7 p. m.

CATHOLIC.—Services at St. Charles church Main street, at the usual hours on Sunday.

NORTH WOBURN.

The next entertainment in the chapel course will be given on next Thursday evening, February 23, and not on the 24 as the JOURNAL stated last week. It will be a tip top one. The Unitarian choir will give a concert for which ample preparations have been made. Mr. Lucy, the popular organist of the Unitarian Society at the Centre, will preside at the piano, which means that the audience will be treated to something first-rate; and Mrs. G. P. Bartlett, the Doctor's wife, will entertain the audience with her readings. Mrs. Bartlett has gained something more than a local reputation as a reader. She has very few equals on the platform, and I have no doubt that she will be greeted by a full house in the Chapel Course next Thursday evening.

BURLINGTON.

Next Monday evening, P. L. Converse, Esq., will lecture in Town Hall.

The winter term of the North, South, and West schools ends next Friday.

Monday evening, at the Town Hall, Col. R. H. Conwell gave a lecture on "Joseph Garibaldi," which was considered, by one of his hearers, to be the best he has ever given here. Col. Conwell is a favorite in this town, and a fair audience assembled, despite the unfavorable weather.

At the 38th annual meeting of the New England Mutual Life Insurance Company, held in January, the following gentlemen were elected directors: Marshall P. Wilder, George H. Folger, Dwight Foster, Nathaniel J. Bradlee, Percival L. Everett, Charles U. Cutting, Joseph M. Gibbons, Benjamin F. Burgess, Warren Sawyer and Benjamin F. Stevens. The business of the past year has been greater than in any previous year since 1871. The funds of the

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The Lost Boy.
Willie A. Dudley, my epileptic boy, aged
about 12, who wandered from home last
Christmas day (25 Dec.) has not been found,
and we are much distressed about him. It
is doubtful whether he intended to go far, or
lost his way and accidentally strayed to dis-
tant places. He was seen and spoken to at
Greenwood on the border of this town
(Wakfield, Mass.) a little before 6 o'clock
P. M., being then on the main road toward
Boston. Distance to Boston 9 miles. Per-
haps he had a notion that he could go along
the road and find friends interested in him
just as his parents were. Once he had been
as far as Melrose town-house, and was there
picked up and returned by the police.
Several times he had gone to the village, a
mile or two from, and been assisted home.
He was affectionate, but of very weak
judgment. However he could learn by note
quite easily, and could sing since 5 or 6
years of age. He was smart as any child
about many things. We had petted him
and never punished him for anything in his
life. A cross word was all he could bear.
We have a farm here on the little Saugus
river of 30 acres. Over this place he had
played for the last ten year, without ever
meeting with any trouble or getting lost in
the woods. Possibly some ignorant person
might have him to work at some easy busi-
ness. But we have advertised extensively
and the police of many places have been re-
quested to help find him. The State police
and Boston police are trying hard to discover
the poor little wanderer. He may have been
enticed away to very distant places by
heedless and bad people. We hoped to find
him in some asylum or almshouse; but after
so much advertising that hope begins to fail.

After sending the description of him to
each town, a postal card came to me from
Mr. P. F. Murphy of Franklin, in Norfolk
county, 20 or 30 miles south-west of Boston,
saying he saw my boy Jan. 18th, on the Nor-
folk County Railroad, walking toward
Boston. But Mr. Murphy did not describe
him, and had no talk with him. The towns
along the road toward Boston are Medway,
Walpole, Dedham, and West Roxbury dis-
trict. It would not be strange if he had
gone from town to town, just as he began.
But how would he get food and shelter?
He would certainly take colds and be sick
from exposure, for he had not much care
for himself. So helpless a child never
before, perhaps, wandered among strangers;
and, if he is found safe, it will be a great
honor to the people who care for him. We
will do all in our power to reward those who
will find him and help him home. Two
rewards have been offered for his recovery.
I earnestly ask the press everywhere to copy
the important parts of this account.

Willie was a fluent talker, could give his
name and tell about things around his home
at Montrose. He was pale, with light eyes
and brown hair, and had a scar in the middle
of his forehead, near his hair, and a little
red spot on his cheek near his right ear.
His height was about 4-3 feet, as near as I
can guess. His dress might now be changed,
but he wore a dark cloth cap without a visor,
a long jacket of the same cloth, a cardigan
under it, and light greyish pants, too large
for him and rolled up at the bottom. He
seems to have been in this town from 11
A. M. (the time he disappeared from home),
and 6 P. M., yet no one saw him as far as
known to me. If any one has seen him, let
me know by postal card, and I will pay for
the trouble. My address is, Wakfield,
Mass.

DEAN DUDLEY.

Am Life With De Libin Fur?
"My friends, it pleases me exceedingly to
behold such a vast sea of intellectual faces
beto' me. (Sensation.) I kin almost en-
vision myself lookin' down de aisles of de
Senate Chamber of de United States. (More
Sensation.) De question, 'Am Life With
Libin Fur?' has often been axed, an' I be-
lieve dat several parties besides me have
put de same query from de rostrum.
(Cheers by Samuel Ship, who had no idea
what de word rostrum meant.) But I
claim to be de only person in dis kentry
who takes de negativ' side of dis monumous
inquiry. In de fast place we am bo'n. De
fast y'ar of our life am spent tryin' wid pain
and sorrow. We see ghosts. We have bad
dreams. We am seized by de colic. Our
froats am tunnels down which dey pour
soutthin' syrup, paregoric, sweet milk an'
what not, an' we wish we was dead. (Sobs
by Pickles Smith, who lately lost his grand-
father.) What comfort does any boy or gal
take up de age of fifteen years? Not a bit.
De boys git licked an' de gals git
spanked, and dey fall down stairs, have de
chickenpox, git boxed up wid de mumps,
an' have to wear clothes which bin cut
uber an' dyed. (Sensation by Giveadam
Jones as he recalled old recollections.)

"From de age of 15 to 20," continued de
orator, after pulling down his vest, "life am
full of love and jealousy an' bad fittin' con-
fines an' gwine to funerals an' stayin' home from
circuses. (Sensation.) As a young man gits to think-
in' dat he am happy disklivers dat his sleeve
buttons are fifteen seconds behind de style,
or dat his bates am de hundredth part of an
inch too long, or dat his coat wrinkles in de
back. (Groans from Trustee Pullback who
remembered when he was learning de bar-
ber's trade in Richmond.)

"From 20 to 30 we get mar'd," continued
de professor as a sad smile crossed his face,
"We love an' court an' hire liberty rigs an'
pay candy an' marry. What am de result?
(Groans from all over de hall.) We have
to pay house rent an' buy wood, an' put
up wid kicks an' cuffs an' howlin' babies an'
a hull doashyrd full of miseries. (Long
drawn sighs from eighty-four members.)

"Den we grow old, an' we take snuff an'
smoke clay pipes an' spit on de ca'pet an'
die de children, and finally die. (Tears from
Waydown Bebec.) Dat's life an' eand'
Whar's de comfort? What hab we found'
worth libin' fur? How much better if we
had bin trees, or fence posts, or picket
fences? Life am a mad struggle. (Sighs.)

We come up like a sunflower an' am cut
down. (Faint groans.) To-day we may
win de big turkey at de raffie-to-morrow
we may have to pawn our overcoat to keep
de stove gwine. (Significant winks and
nods.)

"My friends, thankin' you for your as-
tunest an' inexpressible attentuhun, an' trustin'

dat my feeble remarks will be productive of
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felt sympathy an' resonum my seat.—Detroit
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STATEMENT
UNDER OATH.

"I HAVE been afflicted for twenty years with an
obstinate skin disease called by some M. D.'s
Psoriasis, and others Leprosy, commencing on my
scalp, and in spite of all I could do, with the help of
the most skillful doctors, it slowly but surely extend-
ed until a year ago this winter it covered my entire
person in form of dry scales. For the last three
years I have been unable to do any labor, and suffer-
ing intensely all the time. Every morning there
came a terrible burning sensation from the worst
of the scales on my head, some of them half as large as the
envelope containing this letter. In the latter part of
the winter my skin commenced cracking open, and
tried everything, almost, that could be thought of,
without any relief. The 22nd of June I started out
in hopes I could reach the Hot Springs. I reached
Detroit, and was so low I thought I should have to
go to the hospital, but finally got as far as Lansing,
Mich., where I had a sister living. One Dr. _____
thought I had but a short time to live. I earnestly
prayed to die. Cried through the skin all over
my back, across my ribs, hands, limbs, feet
badly swollen, toe nails came off, finger nails dead
and hard as bone, hair dead, dry and lifeless as old
straw. Oh, my God! how I suffer!"

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heat; used Cuticura Soap freely; applied Cuticura
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in just six weeks from the time I left, and my skin as
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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

THE JUDGESHIP.

The JOURNAL has nothing new to offer on this important question, principally because no Woburn District Court has yet been established, and it is not altogether certain that one will be. It is a foolish thing to do and not always safe to count chickens before they are hatched. As a rule the proceeding brings disappointment and chagrin.

Should anything of importance occur between this and next Friday, by which we mean, should the Court be established and petition presented for the appointment of a Judge, we insist upon it that it must be remembered the JOURNAL has some candidates to present for Executive consideration, the appointment of one of which it will urge with its accustomed spirit and eloquence.

So far as heard from Judge Converse is a long way ahead in the judicial race.

THE APPOINTMENT BILL.

Last Tuesday the Apportionment Bill, in charge of Mr. Hale of Maine, passed the Senate in precisely the same shape in which it was sent from the House. The Bill fixes the number of Representatives at 321, which is claimed to be more favorable to the small States than to the large ones. Its passage was generally opposed by Senators and Representatives from the latter, but the manifest equity and justice of the apportionment carried it through. By the new deal Massachusetts gains one member, while Maine and New Hampshire each lose one. It is presumed that our Legislature will immediately proceed to re-district the State.

It looks at the present time as though Gen. Fitz John Porter was in the way of having justice done him at last. On the testimony already adduced he was fairly entitled to be restored to the army and his old rank, but of late new evidence has come to light that places the question beyond a doubt. People who were cool enough to look at things intelligently believed at the time that Gen. Porter was made the scapegoat for the blunders of an inefficient officer, and now that Gen. Grant has publicly avowed his change of heart, testimony is coming forward to prove the correctness of such conclusions. There ought to be no hesitation on the part of the government in meeting out full and ample justice to this brave and gallant officer.

The Grand Jury, last week, returned "no bill" found against Editor Gray of the Malden Mirror for alleged criminal libel on Chief of Police Noyes of that infant city. We respectfully suggested to that belligerent official some weeks ago, that he had better let Editor Gray severely alone, and we had the rights of it, for Editor Gray has emerged from the trying ordeal with any quantity of hunting floating in the breeze that plays around the masthead of his handsome craft. Past success in the courts of the land of injured innocence against alleged newspaper libelers has not been such as to warrant people in embarking in it as a regular means of living.

It seems that those who have been clamoring for the prosecution of the star route swindlers are to have their wishes gratified after all, for last Monday the Grand Jury in Washington found indictments against Gen. Brady, Dorsey, Miner, and several other of the boss thieves, who, the Attorney General has no doubt, will be convicted. This looks first rate, and is very encouraging.

We have received a letter from Lucy Stone, Mrs. Livermore, Miss Alcott and others, written in behalf of the question of female suffrage now before the Legislature, with a request to publish. We would be glad to do so but can't spare the space.

The Haverhill manufacturers are plucky. They are going right to work rebuilding and starting up business.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

J. H. Bates—N. Y. Weekly.
Horace Dodd—Union Safe Deposit.
Geo. P. Howell & Co.—Furniture Wanted.
A. E. Thompson—Matting, etc.
Boston Ideal Co.—Painting.
W. T. Kendall—Bargain.
15 Pleasant Street—Painting.
Elmore A. Pierce—Lectures.

Our Police succeeded in getting hold from the Grand Jury in all their cases.

Mr. E. E. Thompson, Water Registrar, has had quite a serious conflict with rheumatism of late.

There are two or three large unused tanneries in town that some men of means ought to buy and set agoing.

Messrs. F. L. White & Co., whose tannery was destroyed by fire several weeks ago, will rebuild at an early day.

The programme for vespers services at the Unitarian Church next Sunday is a real nice one. Look it over and see if you don't think so.

Estabrook's lunch tables are well patronized. They ought to be, for you can't get such a meal anywhere for the same money or anything like it.

At last accounts Mr. Rufus Pickering was getting on finely. We trust his life and leg will be saved and he come out of his trials as sound as a nut. Which we think he will.

The check of some publishers is truly astounding. For instance, Mr. John B. Alden of New York sends along a little thin copy of *Hamlet*, worth twenty cents, and modestly asks us for twenty-shilling puff!

An umbrella, which its owner had placed too near the stove in one of the cars from Boston on Tuesday morning, took fire and was promptly extinguished by a young man from Woburn. All the thanks he received was a burned hand.

The alarm of fire at Montvale last Monday didn't amount to much.

Late last week the No. Woburn street cars resumed their regular trips after a brief suspension.

We notice that Jones & Doyle have been receiving hay per horse-team from Ipswich this week.

A large number of the Congregational people took a 3-barge drive over the Maiden Road last Wednesday.

Woburn celebrated Washington's Birthday by flying flags and closing some of the stores, post office and schools.

It was very good and kind in Dr. Harlow to give the man who stopped his runaway horse a dollar, the other day.

The light of the Haverhill fires last Saturday morning was distinctly seen here—22, also in Boston, 32 miles away.

Particular attention is called to the change in Copeland, Bowser & Co.'s advertisement. It will pay a careful perusal.

"In Memoriam" by Rev. Mr. Young, on the outside of this paper, will be read with interest by all good Unitarian people.

The Board of Fire Engineers and Fire Committee of the Board of Selectmen, made their annual inspection of the Department yesterday.

Mr. Mark Allen played Brabantio in Othello at the Gaiety in Boston, last Wednesday afternoon and evening, and played it well too.

The B. & C. R. R. station at Walnut Hill was burglariously entered last Tuesday night and money and tickets of the value of \$100 stolen.

The alarm of fire Wednesday evening was caused by the burning of some rags in the cellar of Mrs. Teare's residence on Main street. No damage.

We are gratified to learn that Mr. Mark Allen, a type of some local repute, has been awarded the contract for printing the Town Reports. We have no doubt but the job will be a good one.

At Dodge's popular jewelry store may be seen over fifty styles of clocks ranging in price from \$1.50 to \$50, of which heaps are sold every day. There isn't a larger or better stock of clocks in Middlesex county.

On and after Monday next, Mr. W. T. Kendall will run a carriage for passengers and express between the Centre and Walnut Hill Station. For time-table see our advertising columns. This will be a very handy arrangement and an accommodation to a good many people.

It is confidently expected that the evening of March 10 will witness the grand society event of the season in Woburn. We allude of course to the dress ball of Crystal Lodge I. O. O. F. If it does not turn out an event of huge proportions everybody will be disappointed.

The Tennessee Singers—in a horn-drawn big crowd at Lyceum Hall last Sunday evening, but failed to retain it. Many ladies and gentlemen present were disgusted with the whole thing, and left. The racket kept up by the hoodlums was enough to disgust anybody let alone the concert.

Last Friday evening a German was given at Armory Hall which was participated in by about twenty couples from the best social circles in town. The toilets of the ladies were very rich and elegant, the gentlemen were in regulation evening dress, and everything was very tony and gay.

The new clothing house next door to Hill's drug store, over which Mr. John C. Buck is to preside, is rapidly approaching completion, and will be thrown open to the public some time next week. When finished it will be a very fine and commodious store, and filled with the best quality of goods.

Unless we are greatly mistaken "Patience," to be given here next Wednesday evening by a popular Boston Company, under the management of Mr. T. Marvin Parker, will never advertise a poor or snide affair, but will be a very fine thing, and worthy of a good attendance by our best people.

We call particular attention to the new card of Mr. A. E. Thompson in this paper. He has stocked up largely in the goods, wares and merchandise mentioned therein besides in many other lines, especially in choice family groceries. There is no better place to trade in Woburn than at A. E. Thompson's.

The wedding of Mr. Fred J. Brown and Miss Jessie A. Dimmick on Wednesday evening, was a very pleasant affair. The presents from the many good friends of bride and groom were numerous and valuable. The happy couple have the best wishes of a large circle of acquaintances for their future happiness and prosperity.

Gilbert & Sullivan's comic æsthetic opera, "Patience," will be given at Lyceum Hall on Wednesday evening, March 1, under the management of Mr. T. Marvin Parker, by a company of even excellence, such as is seldom listened to in the comic opera of today. Every attention will be paid to details, and will be produced as originally given at the Boston Museum by Gilbert & Sullivan's agent, Mr. Scammon of London. The performance will commence promptly at 7.30 to enable the company to take the last train for Boston.

We clip the following complimentary notice of Mr. Cutter, our new Librarian, from last week's *Arlington Advocate*.

William R. Cutter, Esq., long a member of the Lexington School Committee, and for several years treasurer or the Cary Library Trustees, has received the appointment of Librarian of the Woburn Public Library and will enter upon the discharge of his duties next month. Since his graduation from college, Mr. Cutter has devoted himself largely to literary pursuits, has become very familiar with books and book-makers, and has himself won fame as the writer of genealogical and historical works, his scrupulous care in preparation of such matters giving him an enviable place in the ranks of this class of specialists. Mr. Cutter is a valuable man in any community, and we shall part with him as a fellow citizen with no small degree of regret. But the position to which he has been chosen is eminently a fitting one and will give an opportunity for research that will doubtless be a benefit to more than the town he will serve. We congratulate Woburn on the wisdom of her choice of a successor to Mr. Champney.

Our schools enjoy their regular mid-winter vacation next week. Or perhaps it is the early spring vacation.

From remarks which we hear dropped here and there the conclusion which we reach is, that there would be no grumbling on the part of the people should there not be another flake of snow fall this winter.

Police business has been light this week: Thomas Kelly assault and battery, dis.; John and Mary Tierney, Reuben Felix, Frank Muse and Frank Molane dis, the peace, were all fined; Bernard Gallagher drunk, second offence, \$5 and costs.

The dancing assembly given by the members of the Highland Hose Company last week Thursday evening, was well attended, and one of great enjoyment and success, as have been all others held this season. The music has been furnished by Joyce's orchestra of Boston which is very good indeed.

About noon on Saturday Mr. Fletcher's milk team coursed down the south sidewalk on Pleasant street at a terrible pace, but managed to clear everything except Smith's front yard fence until it reached Court street when a collision with a tree or something made a partial wreck of wagon and harness.

There was a slight fire in the currying shop owned by Mr. Harris Monroe and occupied McDonald & Duncan on Monroe street, last Saturday. Fortunately it was discovered in season to be extinguished before much damage had been done. Mr. Monroe had some \$2,000 worth of finished leather in the shop, uninsured, none of which was injured. It is supposed the fire caught from the chimney it having started on the roof.

Last Monday Dr. Harlow received a letter dated and postmarked in Boston which read as follows: "Enclosed please find \$1, which legally belongs to you. CONSCIENCE." Wondering who the note was from it was suggested to the Doctor by a government official located in Woburn, that, in all human probability, it did not come from a member of the medical profession, by which remark we are unable to state what was meant. The JOURNAL would like to have about one hundred and twenty-five daily correspondents of "Conscience's" cast of character.

We would respectfully suggest to the Executive Committee of the Improvement Association, or such sub-committee as may have the care of such matters, that some of the recently burned-out shoe firms of Haverhill are casting about for eligible lots on which to locate, and several visited Lynn last Monday to view the ground there. A good many of the workmen too are seeking jobs outside of Haverhill, in view of which facts would it not be well enough for the committee aforesaid to put itself in communication with those parties and see if some of them cannot be induced to come to Woburn? Not that we want to rob Haverhill—far be it from us to do so—but if any of the shoe firms there are bound to leave, why not try to get them here?

A meeting of the Woburn H. S. Graduates Association was held at High School Hall last Thursday evening, when the matter of a course of lectures was discussed and it was decided to engage Mr. James Kay Applebee for a series of four lectures, and some of the finest talent from Boston for a grand concert. Mr. Applebee is one of the best lecturers before the public, his subjects being taken from famous authors and their writings. He is classed as an orator with Wendell Phillips and Wm. Parsons. Only one dollar is to be charged for the five evenings, and any one who does not buy a ticket to the course will regret it. The President of the Association, Mr. Elmore A. Pierce, has guaranteed the organization against loss, and we think he is safe in doing so, as no doubt Woburn people will attend this course in large numbers. The members present at the meeting expressed great interest in the matter.

We embrace this opportunity to notify all good and loyal friends of temperance, sobriety and pure morals, and all others (if any there are in Woburn), that a temperance meeting will be held in the Methodist church on next Monday evening, February 27, at half past seven o'clock, to which everybody is cordially invited. The meeting will be held under the auspices of the Massachusetts Temperance Alliance, and will be addressed by Mrs. M. McLellan Brown of Pittsburg, Pa., one of the most gifted, eloquent and effective temperance advocates in this country. Besides which, Miss M. Florence Mosher, the young and very talented elocutionist, will give several of her choicest selections, and arrangements have been made for excellent music. The seats are to be free to everybody, and it is to be hoped that the church will be filled so full that standing room cannot be found. No friend of temperance should miss this opportunity to hear the eloquent Mrs. Brown.

For the third or fourth time in as many weeks we take our pencil in hand to record "the worst snow storm of the season." It is a rare thing that the last considerable storm is not the severest, and the JOURNAL proposes to follow the fashions in all things. A respectable reporter on Court street, who rises with the lark, informs us that the snow storm of Tuesday last (singular that nearly all of our big snow storms have come on Tuesday or Wednesday or Monday, or some other day of the week!) began about five o'clock in the morning with marked moderation. The moderation however did not hold out, but the snow, sleet and hail continued to fall through the day, the wind also began to increase in strength and velocity so that by nightfall the affair assumed dimensions as nearly approaching a blizzard as such affairs ever do here in New England. Just how many inches of sleighing material fell we are unable to state, because the man who always measures the snowfalls and makes them several inches deeper than anybody else, has not put in an appearance at this office yet; but there was considerable of it, and snow shovels were found to be handy things to have in a family on Wednesday morning. We have not heard that travel on home railroads or elsewhere was seriously interrupted; and yet the burden of the almost universal prayer is that a warm rain will soon set in and carry the whole thing off.

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Please read card "Instruction given in Painting" in this paper. It will pay.

In 1664 the present First Congregational Church of Woburn sent delegates to a Council held at Lynn. The church is somewhat larger now than then.

Chief Engineer Littlefield and wife accepted an invitation from the managers of the Boston Firemen's Bull given in Music Hall last Tuesday evening and attended the same. It was a huge affair, some 3,000 being present, and the Chief says he enjoyed it first rate.

On the evening of March 2, Petroleum V. Nasby will lecture in Lyceum Hall under the auspices of the Woburn Branch of the Irish Land League, on the Irish question. Petroleum V. N. being a native of Woburn it is probable a full house will greet his appearance here.

Massachusetts Democrats held their annual reunion at the Parker House on Wednesday afternoon, which was largely attended by representatives of the party all over the State. Quite a number of leading Democrats of Woburn were present by invitation, who participated in the proceedings and partook of the royal banquet served.

The Committee appointed by the W. H. S. G. A. to arrange for the Lecture Course and Concert, consists of Misses Emma Putnam, Alice Grammer, M. E. Simonds, Alice Hartshorne, and Carrie Gage, Mrs. M. H. Taylor, and Messrs. Edw. F. Johnson, W. Fred. Bosworth, Elmore A. Pierce, J. W. Day and E. Cummings. This course is in good hands. Special rates for graduates who are not members; and scholars of High and first class in Grammar schools, are to be made on course tickets.

Vespers Sunday evening at the Unitarian church. Mr. Lucy the organist will be assisted by Dr. G. W. Jones, organist from Cambridge. The following selections will be rendered:

1. Organ prelude from *Oberon*. Mr. Lucy.
2. Selection with Gloria from Mass in B flat. Farmer.
3. Anthem. Hear us, O Father. Bismack.
4. Organ improvisation. Dr. Jones.
5. Choir hymn. Wetzelthal.
6. Response. Bailey.
7. Solo. O Holy Night. Miss Cary.
8. Organ postlude. Dr. Jones.

A Republican meeting for consultation will be held at Headquarters, 204 Main street, on next Monday evening, to which a general invitation is extended. We hope there will be a full turnout in response to the call of the Committee, because matters of vital importance will come before the meeting on which a general expression of sentiment is earnestly desired. If men fail to accept the Committee's courteous invitation and stay away from the consultation it is expected that they will hold their peace if everything does not go just as they might desire it. We need not urge the importance of a general attendance on the primary meetings: all understand it; therefore, let all be out on next Monday evening.

A rubber company, carrying on a large business in Boston, will be obliged to vacate the premises now occupied in April next and establish itself elsewhere. Several towns in the vicinity have made overtures to the company to come and establish itself among them, some of which have offered pretty strong inducements for it to do so. There are employed in the establishment in the neighborhood of three hundred hands, the addition of which to their population most towns might properly desire. The company needs from six to ten acres of land well located near a railroad station, and favorable for the manufacture and shipment of rubber goods. We learn that a committee of the Public Improvement Association of Woburn has recently visited the establishment in Boston and had an interview with its proprietors respecting the removal of the factory to this place. Also, that the proprietors, after hearing what the committee had to say, regarded the matter favorably, and proposed its further consideration. We would respectfully suggest to the Association, and citizens not connected with it, that they be very careful that this opportunity to secure a first class manufacturing establishment is not permitted to slip through their fingers from a want of attention, energy or liberality. It is known that a desirable site can be bought for less than one hundred dollars an acre, and if the company will come here in consideration of a free gift of the land there ought not to be a moment's hesitation in closing the arrangements with it. Any business mind can comprehend at a glance that this would be a very profitable bargain for the town. Looking at the population which the employees of the establishment and their families would add to the place, the increase of trade from it, and above all, the influence it would exert in fetching other desirable industries here, any one would conclude that business men of Woburn are very indifferent to their best interests if they fail to make an earnest effort to secure the location here of this Boston rubber manufactory. We trust the Improvement Association will give this matter the attention it deserves, and that they will keep working at it until they succeed. It is their legitimate work—exactly in their line of business, and if they go into it heartily they will win.

The young ladies of this village, whose good words and works are read and known by all, have in rehearsal and will render on the evening of April 5th a beautiful opera, with scenery and spectacular appointments, and promise the public a genuine treat. The proceeds of the entertainment are to go toward liquidating the town's claim against the Mission Chapel at Montvale, on which account and others it is hoped the young ladies will be generously patronized.

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BURLINGTON.

Monday evening at the Town Hall, P. L. Converse, Esq. of Woburn, gave an interesting and instructive lecture on "The Gulf Stream."

Sunday school concert at the church, next Sunday evening at seven o'clock.

The Ladies' Sewing Society will give a sociable at the Town hall, Friday evening, March 3.

The Way They Talk.

The Boston Times predicts a brilliant future for E. D. Hayden of Woburn. Several Papers.

Congressman Bowman has received much merited approval for his activity in pushing forward the claim of Massachusetts against the United States for the sum of \$230,000.00, the amount expended in behalf of the general government for coast defence in the late war.

The Woburn Journal thinks Hon. John Cummings has no ambition to go to Congress. Judging from the past, we should say not, but after all we have a growing suspicion that he'd go rather than have the district unrepresented. Most of 'em will, you know!—*Milford Journal*.

The Fifth District is already taking on the appearance of political warfare in mild form. Two or three candidates have pitched their camps and are busy raising their entrenchments. Mr. Bowman will probably be a factor in the battle and H. Cabot Lodge is undergoing a course of treatment calculated to make him forget that he ever ran for senator.

The Woburn Journal confidently asserts that Hon. John Cummings has only to say the word and he will be nominated. Meanwhile, the papers are saying nice things about Mr. Hayden and several other candidates. For our own part, we think the dark horse has the best chance.—*Milford Mercury*.

Free your minds, gentlemen.

LITERARY.

THE NORTH AMERICAN REVIEW for March presents a striking array of articles, every one of which possesses the characteristics of a high class literary interest. First we have a contribution from Senator George F. Edmunds, on "The Conduct of the 'Guinevere Trial'."

Ex-Minister Edward A. Tamm communicates the results of his observations of political affairs in France under the title, "The Progress of the French Republic." In "Trial by Jury," Judge Edward A. Tamm describes the social conditions under which our jury system had its origin, and notes its defects in view of the altered relations of modern life.

Mr. John Fiske makes an able and judicious analysis of that great intellectual movement, the Reformation, educating therefrom the "True Lesson of Protestantism." In "Law for the Indians," the Rev. William Justin Marsh endeavors to demonstrate that the one rational and effective cure for our Indian troubles is to extend the jurisdiction of the civil and criminal courts over all social relations of the red man.

Prof. A. R. Palmer writes on the "Fallacies of Homoeopathy." Finally, the Hon. Neal Dow contributes an article on the "Results of Prohibitory Legislation," demonstrating the success of the efforts to suppress the liquor traffic in Maine.

The March WAKE is brilliant with fine pictures, one of Charles Volkman's famous duck-paintings leading the class as frontispiece. Mrs. Jessie Curtis Shepherd has a beautiful full-page engraving, "They who wear fine gloves," and Jessie Mellemont another, with two full-length figures, to illustrate the notable poem by "M. E. B." entitled "A Girl of the Period."

Booth's also has three full-page drawings in the number illustrating "Hamm's Snare," "A Sawing Match," and "The Story of Maple Sugar." By Juliet C. March; "Behind the Arras," A. D. 1486, a charming art poem by Margaret J. Preston; "March," by Edgar Fawcett; "Shadow and Echo," by Mrs. M. F. Butts; "Cathkins," by Mrs. J. Doty Bates; "A Girl of the Period," by M. E. B.

The Stories include "The Sixpence of a Princess," "The Saving Match," "How I Entertained the Little Girls," full of charming reminiscences of Louisa M. Alcott by an old schoolmate, "Their Club and Ours," a story by A. Joy, "From the Hudson to the Neva" (serial), by David Ker, "The Story of Maple Sugar," a delightful piece of words' lore by Rowland E. Robinson, "The Misfortunes of Yankee Robinson's Family," by Mrs. Catterwood, "What Grandmamma Did," "Hamm's Snare," by M. E. B., and "A Mean Little Mouse," by Mrs. Eyttinge. There are some excellent articles, solid, yet as entertaining as the stories. "Today," a story by Mrs. Everett Hale explains the tariff. "Short Stories from the Dictionary," by Arthur Gilman; "A Fair School-Girl," by Mrs. Dickinson, "Beautiful Mr. Baby," a Japanese sketch by Mrs. Arthur. Then follows, to crown this, the month's Reading Course for the Chautauque Reading Union, sparkling with wit and wisdom, helpful with practical suggestions, and brilliant with fine quotations, among them a very fine drawing by Langron for the music article entitled "Mozart playing for friends." The music this month is by M. E. W. Chadwick, the musical conductor of the Greek play, "Ædipus," he having set Miss Muloch's "Mill Song" especially for WAKE. Only \$2.50 a year. D. Lathrop & Co., Boston, Publishers.

The circus is ever a fascinating subject to young people, and the second part of Mr. Stoddard's article, "Men-and-Animal Shows," in which he gives a vivid account of one of these amusement towns on its rambles, is, with its many elegant illustrations by Jas. G. Beard, Share, and others, one of the most prominent and entertaining features of the March. St. Nicholas. There is, also, a fairy tale by Thomas Dunn English, and some humorously decorative verses, illustrated with fine, page illustrations by Walter Satterlee. Poems are contributed by Rose Terry Cooke and Celia Thaxter. The present installment of "The Household School

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Catholic church he would have been
Cardinal if not Pope, for he had many
admirable qualities which fitted him for
the largest command and greatest leader-
ship. How sadly we shall miss him at
these gatherings, only those know who
have sat in the Saratoga Conference and
heard by his oratory, swayed by his
eloquence, moved by his mighty earnest-
ness. On whom can his mantle fall?

But great as he was in public, he was
still greater in private character. Any
who have ever received his hospitality—
and great is the multitude—will remem-
ber the exquisite spirit in which it was
dispensed; how at table or in study, or
parlor, he overflowed with geniality,
wit, anecdote, earnestness, spirituality.
Whatever topic was broached he was
always ready with telling contribution.
That home circle, so graced by his noble
headship and care, will be sadly empty,
with only memories for comfort, and
thoughts of the past for cheer.

When the story of his life gets written,
there will be a great account of deeds of
wisdom, benevolence, like that of care-
ful nursing of soldiers sick in camp, or
that touching tale of the young woman,
the wife of a San Francisco merchant
who terribly sick with diphtheria, when no
one could be found to minister to her ne-
cessities, the young Bellows went and
devoted himself so nobly to her care and
recovery. Great as he was, he allowed
himself to be hedged about with no fences
of distance or haughtiness. The
youngest among his brethren could get
near him, and he was fond of their inter-
est. A letter from the humblest among
us asking counsel or help was sure of an
immediate answer. Any advance toward
him always found him in mood to re-
spond. His refined social nature ever
honored any draughts upon it in gen-
erous fashion. No one was ever more glad
to be of service or help. Those of us who
knew him have felt that the grave closed
over a real friend. Yes, a great man has
fallen. That noble obituary notice in
the Christian Register is well headed
"The Fallen Cedar" for in our spiritual
Lebanon, Dr. Bellows has been a cedar
of the Lord's planting—of those trees
of the Lord, full of sap. The cedar is
fallen; the mighty spoiled—one, great in
the forest, is come down.

But, faith points our lesson with hope.
We say "he is dead" and we mourn;
but the Christian lesson touches the pos-
sible trust in all this and bids us believe
that the mighty personality is not lost
but translated. Such souls cannot die.
From their mute lips no reply comes to
our anxious inquiry as to their condition,
but faith sees in all the mystery a shining
star, and our longing love as it knocks at
the door of the Silence is admonished to
rest. That new-made grave among the
drifting New Hampshire snows holds a
sacred trust; the form so noble goes to
its native dust; the lips which have
poured out their marvellous eloquence
of inspiration speak no more; the warm
hearted friend is gone, but let the lessons
of his life, his wonderfully successful
ministry inspire in us eternal faith in
the Christian gospel which was his sus-
taining and cheer. Death is not dark in
this faith; it is only the open door to
larger opportunity, holier fellowship,
grandeur work, and more blessed spiri-
tual labors.

"From the eternal shadowing,
All our sin and sorrowing,
Voices of our lost ones sounding
Bid us be of heart and cheer,
Through the silence, down the space falling
on the inward ear.
"Know ye not our dead are looking
Downward with a sad surprise,
All our strife of words rebuking
With their mild and loving eyes?
Shall we grieve those holy angels, shall we cloud
those blessed skies?
"Let us draw their mantles o'er us,
Which have fallen in our way;
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The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, MARCH 3, 1882.

THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of S. Horton, 192 Main Street, R. Robie, 156 Main Street, E. F. Cutter, Cummingsville, J. P. Tyler, North Woburn, Cooper's News Stand at the Centre Depot, and at G. P. Brown's, Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

THE SPRING ELECTION.

On invitation of the Republican Town Committee a large meeting was held last Monday evening at Republican Headquarters for conference respecting the approaching Town Election. It was thought advisable by the Committee that there should be a full, free exchange of opinions between members of the party as to the best methods to be adopted to effect a change in the present Board of Selectmen, and the responses to their call for a meeting for this purpose must have been very gratifying.

It was a wise thing to do, and the result fully justified the sensible course of the Committee. The meeting was one of the best in numbers and character that has assembled here for a like purpose in a great while. The three rooms were filled with representative and influential Republicans, and several prominent citizens who, for some time, have been noted for their absence from such conferences and caucuses were present and participated in the deliberations. Good, sensible speeches were made by several gentlemen, and though some small differences as to methods here and there cropped out the meeting was one of remarkable harmony and unity of sentiment.

A single feeling actuated all present and that was a desire to change the character of our present Board of Selectmen, and a determination to accomplish it.

In discussing the question it was plain to be seen that the weight of opinion was in favor of the nomination of a straight Republican ticket, and to make the fight on that line. This the JOURNAL thinks the wisest and best course by all odds. While on general principles it believes in citizens' movements when honestly entered into by both parties, and has no doubt but that better local governments are thereby secured, yet it sees that such an arrangement here now is impracticable, and would therefore earnestly advise the nomination of a clean party ticket by the Republicans. The Democrats will place in the field a straight partisan band, and there is no reason why the Republicans should not do the same.

If the Republican party have merits which entitle them to the control of our town government, as we think they have, and will place in nomination their best men—men of marked business ability, personal integrity, and general popularity—they will draw to their standard many of the solid, sober-minded Democrats, unite their own forces solidly, promote good feelings, inspire confidence, and probably elect their ticket. By all means let us make the fight under our own flag, let the outcome be what it may. The policy of going into the enemy's camp for recruits is a bad one every way. First, it is an acknowledgment of weakness that is not prudent to disclose to the enemy; second, if you get your recruits they will sooner or later betray you; third, for every recruit you secure you alienate five friends, and thus greatly diminish instead of increasing your opposing strength. It is a poor policy in war, politics, or business.

The meeting appointed a committee of fifteen prominent Republicans to prepare a list of candidates for Town Officers and report at an adjourned meeting to be held next Monday evening. The committee is an excellent one, composed of practical men, who will discharge the duty faithfully and intelligently. Their report will be open to canvass by the meeting when every man can have his say. Thus everything will be square and above-board.

Sometimes fault has been found on the score that the ticket has been presented at too late an hour to allow of discussion and canvass of its merits. The custom of making nominations a few hours only before the polls are opened is not a good one. It leads to heartburnings, lukewarmness, and opposition. We trust there will be no use for fault-finding on this score this year.

The nomination of Mr. Conkling to a seat on the Supreme Bench has been the most noteworthy event of the week and about the only one that merits special mention. It was a great surprise to the country, for some of his friends assert that it was equally so to Mr. Conkling. This however is not probable for Mr. Arthur would not be likely to take a step of such importance without first making sure of the ground he stood on. The close personal relations of the two also makes it extremely likely that Mr. Conkling was consulted before the appointment was made and agreed to accept.

Few people think Mr. Arthur's act a judicious one. The appointee is not a good lawyer by any means. His is not a judicial cast of mind. Considering the years he has been at the Bar he has had but little to do with the courts. And besides, he possesses certain governing personal traits which are not generally regarded as the very best for the proper discharge of the grave and solemn duties which devolve upon the members of the high court of last resort.

It is probable however that Mr. Conkling will be confirmed by the Senate, for there are a plenty of Republicans who dislike him but will avail themselves of this opportunity to say by their votes "Good riddance to bad rubbish."

The Charlestown News pays its respects to the member from this District in the following complimentary manner:

Congressman Bowman has again had the great satisfaction of winning another victory in national legislation by having his bill referring private claims for judicial investigation to the court of claims made special order for Tuesday the 7th of March. Legislation on private claims is inevitable, and the race between members for precedence in the eagerly con-

tested race has been sharp. Several members have been struggling to identify their names with a measure so creditable, but Mr. Bowman has succeeded in getting his bill chosen as that on which the debate will turn. By vote of the house on Monday, the subject is made a special order for March 7, and through several jealous members did their prettiest to make the order impersonal, the debate will be after all on "the Bowman bill," as distinguished from its rivals. Mr. Bowman had the additional satisfaction of pushing his motion through in the sight and hearing of his excursionist constituents in the galleries, most of whom well understood the parliamentary triumph of their representative.

The eulogy pronounced on President Garfield by Hon. James G. Blaine in the Representatives' Hall last Monday is warmly praised on all hands. It is spoken of as able, eloquent and just. Even the Democratic papers have a good word for the production.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.
Owlsey & Co.—Sulphur Bitters.
Ayer & Son—M. N. Lovell.
W. Hammond—Sol Russell.
Whitmore & Clark—Minister.
S. R. Niles—Home Sav'g Bank.
N. Carver—Sure Cure.
S. Horton—Gage.
Chas. Tarr—Wanted.
J. McDonald—Piano Tuning.
Boston Clothing Co.—Opening.
Experiment—Gymnasium.
Unionist Clothing—Jap. Tea Party.
W. J. S. G. A.—Lectures.

Mr. Pickering is getting on well.
Mr. S. Horton has hens' eggs for hatching. Read what he says about them.

Mr. Cutter, the new Librarian, entered on his duties on March 1 instant.

Teachers and pupils will resume work next Monday promptly at bell-ringing.

The 11.20 P. M. train from Boston for Woburn is well filled every night.

There was a copious and refreshing rain on Wednesday.

Don't fail to look over the list of Y. M. C. A. Fair Committees in this paper.

On Wednesday afternoon the flag floated at half-mast for the death of Mr. Noah Edgcomb, a soldier in the War of the Rebellion.

Pleasant street sidewalks from Abbott to Warren are about the worst there are anywhere in a wet time.

Within a wheel, with spokes five miles long, and its hub planted on Woburn Common, dwells a population of nearly 40,000 souls.

The Woburn agent of the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Society wants the watering trough on the south side of the Common raised 18 inches and lengthened several feet. He claims that the comfort of horses demands this change.

Attention is called to the advertisement of "Carver's Sure Cure" in this paper. This is manufactured at Lynn, and has the endorsement of a large number of the leading people of that city. It is really a valuable preparation, for the sale of which Mr. Tarr is now canvassing this town and vicinity.

Within three miles of the Soldiers' Monument on the Common, or the Liberty-post, just as you like, there are six post offices besides ours at the Centre; and within five miles there are as many more. And yet our friend across the way, who writes P. M. after his name, finds few idle moments through the day.

It was a real, genuine, double-and-twisted surprise to Mr. John Rolfe, book-keeper for White & Waters, when he went home on Monday evening and found several of his friends gathered there to make him welcome. He was taken all aback, but rallied after a little and performed his part well. A very enjoyable evening was spent.

The statement made in our last issue that the Walnut Hill station was burglarized was an error. The Walnut Hill Rifle Range was entered on the night of Monday, Feb. 20, and two valuable rifles, two field glasses and some clothing taken. The Mass. Rifle Association offer a reward of \$25.00 for the conviction of the thief. Later: a portion of the property has been recovered, and the police hope to get it all and the thieves.

We take much pleasure in referring our readers to an advertisement in this paper of a "Japanese Tea Party," because it is something quite interesting to everybody, especially to lovers of "good times." The author of the card has embodied in it about all the facts important to be told, and it only remains for us to endorse the author, and to add that we know the entertainment will be richly worth going to and paying money for. The arrangements are in the hands of a committee "in whose vocabulary there is no such word as fail," so it can be relied on that everything will be ship-shape.

Sol Smith Russell will treat the citizens of Woburn to "Edgewood Folks" next Saturday evening, March 4th. This is what the New Haven Register of September 30 said about it: "Edgewood Folks" as produced at the New Haven Opera House last evening, by Sol Smith Russell and his company, was the most thoroughly enjoyable performance we have had here this season and it is doubtful if we have a better one during the year. It is as bright and sparkling and full of life as a glass of champagne. The fun is unremitting from the rise of the curtain to the fall, and Mr. Russell never appeared to so good advantage as he does in this play. Mr. Russell has gathered about him a company of not merely actors but artists, and their work is done carefully and honestly. A more enjoyable and perfect performance could not be asked for.

The new clothing store of the Boston Clothing Company, 148 Main street, of which Mr. John C. Buck is to be agent and manager, will be thrown open to the public tomorrow, with which opening the town and vicinity are respectfully invited. The sales-room has been fitted up in fine style and is one of the best and pleasantest in town. Its shelves, counters and cases are filled with everything pertaining to a first-class clothing store as will be seen by the card of the company in this paper. The heavy stock consists of a great variety of the very best goods in the latest styles, and especially in children's wear it is full and complete. When the doors are opened to-morrow the public will see one of the largest and best stocks of clothing ever opened in Woburn. It is proposed to make low prices for everything. Mr. Buck has had a good deal of experience in the business, is well known to citizens, and will make this new clothing candidate for popular favor win.

March comes in like a lamb: as per old saw, it will go out like a lion.

Read the "Gymnasium" card in this paper. It is a capital thing.

For a week it has been capital weather for the sale of rubber boots.

We have received Dadd's "Condensed Price List" which is an elegantly gotten up affair. Thanks.

"Patience" had a good house considering the howling rain storm that prevailed. It was real good.

The Celtic Society will give the play "Robert Emmet" on the evening of March 17.

Plumbers will soon betake themselves to the seashore or Europe: their harvest is about over for this season.

Mr. Charles Tarr wants the address of every person afflicted with rheumatism in Woburn. See card.

We anticipate a remarkable shaking among the dry bones, politically speaking, in this town about the 4th of April.

What Miss Pollard does not know about conducting business at the Public Library is not worth mentioning. She is very kind and obliging too.

Mr. James McDonald, a skilled piano tuner, has a card in this paper. His headquarters are at Green's well-known piano warehouses, 576 Washington street, Boston.

Those who flatter themselves that summer is at hand and winter weather is over and gone had better keep their eyes steadily fixed on the Ides of March.

Documents and clippings duly received from Mrs. Mary G. C. Leavett, manager of the Mass. W. C. T. U. By the way, this gifted lady is going into the lecture field.

Mr. Seelye, the present efficient Town Clerk, is mentioned in various Democratic quarters as excellent timber for candidate for Selectman, to be made Clerk of the Board if elected.

On the first of next month the price of milk drops a penny a quart, but on that date the ice man and street sprinkler fall into line, so that, like the Dutchman, it is about as broad as it is long.

The inspection of the property of the Fire Department by the Board of Engineers and Fire Committee last week was perfectly satisfactory. Chief Littlefield looks after things very carefully.

The rain of Wednesday, Wednesday night and Thursday took the snow about all off; but we will not guarantee that, before this item meets the eye of an eager public, the ground may not be covered several feet deep with it.

The Land League meeting yesterday evening was a big one. But, alas! Nabby didn't come. The boys, however, did the square thing by the "Ould Sod," by voting her the whole amount of ticket money. So Nabby's absence was money in Ireland's pocket.

Major H. C. Hall, who has been an esteemed citizen of Woburn for several years, has accepted a business call to settle in North Adams, and on yesterday took his departure thence. Which we regret. In the Major Woburn loses a good inhabitant and North Adams gains one.

Last Monday evening the Ladies' Auxiliary Corps of Burbank Encampment invited a party of friends and proceeded to Lynn in one of Jones & Doyle's fine barges to give Mr. John L. Parker and family a surprise. The trip across the country was a very pleasant one, and after arriving an enjoyable evening was spent with the family of old Woburnites. The visit was entirely unexpected to Mr. Parker and wife, but they were at home and made their guests feel they were too. Good things were partaken of, fine music was among the enjoyments, and at midnight the party left for home where they arrived at early cock-crowing.

Under the proper head is recorded the death of David A. Hershier in San Francisco. He left Woburn last November for California in pursuit of health, but was too far gone with consumption to be benefited by that climate and lived only seven weeks after his arrival there. For the last three years he had made his home with Mr. Daniel H. Richards of Salem street. He had been a compositor in the printing establishment of Rand & Avery, Boston, for seven years, by whom he was held in high esteem.

There is a good chance in the show window of Mr. Fowle, the boot and shoe dealer, for the Myopia Club—that society of bold Boston-Winchester hunters—to try their 'prentice hands at fox shooting, and as the season will soon open we advise them to wade in. In the window aforesaid, 147 Main street, are two handsome red foxes, killed by Mr. T. M. Parker of Central Square, and stuffed by Mr. Fowle, which we think the members of the Myopia Club, if steady of nerve and quick of eye, might fetch down at a shot or two without much trouble. To take the wire edge off their nerves they might fire a few times at the stuffed partridge and quail in the same window. Mr. Fowle sets animals and birds up very skillfully, and these are done so naturally that the Myopia Club should not be laughed at for mistaking them for live ones, if they should do so.

The praise services and lecture in the Congregational vestry last Sunday evening were highly enjoyed by the writer of this item and by everybody else present, it faces are indexes of what the heart feels and enjoys. What rendered them particularly pleasant was the presence and participation of The Orchestra (we have never been able to learn the real name, if it has one, of this very fine body of musicians), composed of some dozen or more instruments, including cornets, violins, bass viols, etc. It was led by Dr. Lang in whose hands the baton is no unfamiliar instrument, and the music it gave us was just literally charming. Those "Gospel Hymns" are the best in the world—worth a thousand fold more than all the classic music that was ever printed—and when they are given to us by sweet-toned stringed and wind instruments accompanied by scores of melodious voices, for one we don't care for anything better. Dr. March, cheered and enlivened, entered into the spirit of the meeting and gave one of the best lectures that it has been our good fortune to hear drop from his lips. There is nothing like sweet music to tune the heart up to the right pitch, and make people happy.

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Dr. Bartlett is having his nearly burned barn revamped and put into shape again.

The Fair of the Y. M. C. A. is going to be a rousing big thing.

Some nice frays are taken from Horn Pond now-a-days by skillful fishermen.

There seems to be a good deal going on in the amusement line.

Mr. Registrar Thompson is busily engaged in making out April bills for water.

We have all been enjoying a terrible slushy time this week. The bluebirds will soon be here.

We have received from Mr. Dean Dudley, the author of it, "England and the Continent," for which we return thanks.

Please look at Mr. W. W. Hill's card respecting Dentilave. It is a prime article for the teeth.

The engineers of the B. L. & C. R. R. have been going over the defunct Mystic Valley roadbed this week.

Noah Edgcomb, a soldier of the war in Co. K, 39th Regt., Mass., died at his residence in North Woburn Sunday night.

About one hundred and fifty graduates belong to the Woburn High School Association.

Mr. Kendall is meeting good success with his Walnut Hill hack. It is a great convenience.

The card of the Home Savings Bank, Boston, in this paper is worthy the attention of all prudent people.

The Echo's wealth says five at least of the present members of the Board of Selectmen will be re-elected. That is pretty brash for a young 'un.

A week ago Mr. J. R. Carter, who knows more about the location of the Mystic Valley R. R. than anybody else, was invited by officers of the B. L. & C. R. R. to meet them for consultation.

We were just a little previous the other time, but it can now be truthfully stated that Mr. Mark Allen's sanctum is telephonically connected with the outside world. It is a nice thing to be a rich editor.

Some good Democrats deprecate the party movement of the Republicans, and favor a citizens' ticket. They ought to have thought of it earlier and made propositions to that end.

The temperance meeting in the Methodist Church last Monday evening was well attended. The exercises were interesting, and the lecture by Mrs. Brown able, eloquent and exhaustive. More like this one ought to be held.

Mr. Albert Thompson, whose studio is at 433 Washington street corner of Winter, will please accept our benedictions for "comps" to the twenty-fifth exhibition of the Boston Art Club which opened on the 11th of February and will close on March 11. May his shadow never grow less.

A few days since a prominent Woburn merchant received the following note:—"Brocton, the 14th, 1882. I enclose to you one dollar for a piece of tobacco a boy stole from you and give to me and I want to pay for it. I remain yours, A Friend." If this manner of thing keeps on our folks will soon enjoy a pretty good income from "conscience" money.

Nothing better in the way of music has been enjoyed here for many months than that given at the Unitarian vesper services last Sunday. The house was full too of appreciative people, who pronounced the whole thing fine beyond ordinary expression. We should like real well to mention each of the excellent performers, and would, do so only it is known that they would not approve of it, and therefore we are compelled to forego a pleasure. The selections read by the pastor, Mr. Young, were excellent and excellently rendered. So that the people, when they left the house, were unanimous in the opinion that they had enjoyed a genuine musical and literary treat.

Please bear in mind that Sol Smith Russell gives "Edgewood Folks" at Lyceum Hall to-morrow evening, March 4. Also read this from the Worcester Daily Spy of Oct. 2: "Sol Smith Russell in 'Edgewood Folks,' a new play written expressly for him, is simply immense. As a character actor he ranks with the best on the stage, and his new play gives him an opportunity to display his great versatility in rapid changes of character. His support was excellent, and the performance merited and received the hearty appreciation of the audience."

The grand ball under the auspices of Crystal Fount Lodge of Odd Fellows, on the evening of March 10, promises to be one of the best of the season. The floor arrangements will be in the charge of the following committee: L. A. Sweetser as Floor Director, with Messrs. T. J. White, W. B. Doyle, G. H. Sutherland, O. M. Wade and G. N. Gwynn as aids. Tickets can be obtained of Messrs. W. B. Doyle or T. J. White. Entrance to the Hall will be through Bank Block, the gallery being reserved exclusively for ticket holders. Edmonds' Band of Boston, 7 pieces, will furnish the music. Clothing will be checked and cared for by responsible parties. The ball will not be a strictly dress affair, but will partake more of the nature of a social party.

The far famed Whitmore & Clark's Minstrels appear at Lyceum Hall next Tuesday evening, March 7. The Burlington Free Press says "Whitmore & Clark's Minstrels had a rousing audience, Saturday night, the Opera House being filled, floor and balcony, showing clearly that they retain all their old time popularity in Burlington; and to judge from the reception accorded them, they will long retain it. Laughter and applause were almost continuous, and the encores were so numerous as to trespass on the good nature of actors and manager. Hank White the raciest and jolliest of Ethiopian comedians, was given a most cordial reception, which he reciprocated in his own inimitable style. 'Age cannot wither nor custom stale his infinite variety,' and despite the flight of years he is the same mirth-compeller, care-dispeller as of yore. The Delmanings are good dancers and singers, and as the 'dandy darters' pleased the audience immensely. The Favors did well in their Irish songs and dances; Huntley has few superiors on the banjo; and the other members of the company fill their parts well."

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Mr. Bancroft's Stock List was received too late for publication this week.

The Republican Committee of fifteen met Tuesday evening to work on their report.

The Board of Selectmen held their meeting on Tuesday for the transaction of business, considerable of which was done.

The Eagle pencil, sold at A. E. Thompson's, writes as readable local items as any we know of, and would probably do good work on heavy editorials.

One night officer now comes on duty at 9 o'clock P. M., and remains until 7 A. M., by which rule, every hour of the day and night an officer will be on duty.

While Dr. Graves was visiting a patient on Walnut street Monday evening there was taken from his sleigh a valuable robe.

Reader, please run your eye over the the Winchester columns and observe what is said about the lectures of Mr. Isaac J. Osburn.

Mr. and Mrs. George Russell, a worthy and esteemed couple, had their silver wedding on last Monday evening. A large party were present and the affair was notable and highly enjoyed.

Esquary.—Dare a man, who will upon God's Holy Day go to a second party and make overture that, for a consideration, he will break a contract with a first party, sit at the Lord's Table and partake of the emblems of His broken body and shed blood? Verily, ye cannot be partakers of the Lord's Table and the table of Devils: ye cannot serve God and mammon.

A. GRANT.

The semi-occasional entertainments given by the Young People's Union of the Unitarian Church are very nice indeed. They are commonly well attended too. No great blow is made about them by the managers, and yet after all, they constitute quite an item in the sum of Woburn's amusements. The one given on last Thursday evening was a week, consisted of the presentation of a drama called "Wanted—A Male Cook" by Messrs. Charles Osgood, Winthrop Hammond, Walter Davis, and Mr. Parker of Central Square. It was cleverly done and well enjoyed. The Misses Moore and Porter gave a piano duet in good style, and Miss Lottie Kelley sang "Life's Dream is Over" (perhaps we not give the precise title) in excellent taste, voice and spirit. The entertainment was first rate.

DAVID DEXTER HART.

DIED IN WOBURN, MARCH 2, 1882.

In the death of Mr. Hart Woburn has lost one of her best citizens, the church has lost an upright and faithful member, the poor and afflicted have lost a generous and sympathizing friend. Many outside of his own family circle counted themselves mourners and many think they will not soon see his like again. Starting in life with few of the advantages of education and social connection, he acquired to a remarkable degree a pleasant and manly bearing in society, a free and happy address in public meetings, and a high degree of executive ability in business. He was frank, fearless and outspoken in private conversation and on all matters of public interest, and yet he was so considerate and charitable in spirit that he won the respect of those from whom he differed in opinion, and left the impression upon all who knew him that he was a true, upright and thoroughly honest man. Few persons in his circumstances have gained more or faster friends than he, few have held friends once gained with a firmer grasp. Warm and impulsive in temperament, he was still so kind in spirit and so just in judgment that he held fast the confidence of those who trusted him and the affection of those who loved him. From the time that he made his Christian profession by uniting with the First Church twenty-five years ago to the day of his death, he bore the character of a man who was trying daily to walk humbly with God, to grow in the knowledge of truth and in the practice of its precepts, and to be faithful in every duty to his fellow-men. He gave cheerfully and generously for the help of the poor at home, and for the diffusion of the light of Christianity through all the earth. His life of noble, persevering effort in self-culture and in doing good to others is a grand encouragement to young men to rise above difficulties and to make hindrances help them in the true work of life. With his frank and genial address, his noble and manly spirit, his firm integrity and his trust in God at all times, no young man could fail of gaining honor and success for himself and at the same time doing much to make the world wiser and better by his life.

Y. M. C. A. Fair.

A meeting was held Tuesday evening February 28th, at the rooms of the Y. M. C. A. for the purpose of making arrangements for a Fair, to be held in the Vestries of the Congregational Church, on the evenings of March 15 and 16. The Committee as arranged are as follows:

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SPECIAL NOTICE.
All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

THE YOUNG REPUBLICANS.

The movement inaugurated by the young members of the Republican party in Woburn in aid of the ticket to be placed in the field by the Republican caucus strongly commends itself to the good judgment of men who have the best interests of the party at heart. It is a move in the right direction, started for a good object, prosecuted in a loyal spirit, and will be found an important help in changing the political complexion of our town government. It cannot be denied that there are a good many young Republicans who lag behind and are indifferent to results under the leadership of the old wheelhorses, every one of whom will come up promptly to the scratch under an arrangement of the sort adopted here by them and do first rate work. It is always so everywhere, no matter how honest and efficient the old leadership may be.

These earnest, energetic young men propose to stand square up to the ticket that may be nominated by the general caucus, and to do all that lies in their power for the success of the same. This is right, and unless the JOURNAL is wild in its figuring they will help secure a brilliant victory on the 4th of April.

REPORTED PROGRESS.

Last Monday evening an adjourned Republican meeting was held at Headquarters to hear the report of the Committee of Fifteen. It was largely attended by enthusiastic and confident Republicans, and was a good one.

The Committee were not quite ready to report a list of candidates, and, craving more time, were given until Monday evening, March 20, to which date meeting was adjourned.

One point had been unanimously settled by the Committee, to wit, that their report would strongly recommend the nomination of a clean, out-and-out list of genuine Republicans for the positions to be filled. This met a hearty and unanimous response from the meeting, so that it may be regarded as settled that the Republicans will present no mongrel ticket for support at the polls. This is right. Let us fight under our own party banner, and if we go under let us do so with our own colors floating over us. No hermaphrodite ticket for the JOURNAL.

A MISTAKE.

From statements made by ill-posted or ill-informed people the idea is current here that the Republican party during its many years of ascendancy in this town seldom or never put Democrats in office. We think something of the sort has been promulgated by the Democratic organ, an error which should be attributed to its youth and ignorance of former customs rather than to a disposition to mislead the people on this important point. A careful perusal of the election records during the supremacy of the Republican party in Woburn will disprove Democratic charges of selfishness and unfairness towards their political opponents, and show that in all the years they held the reins Democrats were elected and appointed to important positions by them. We refer the Democratic organ and leaders to the records aforesaid.

WESTERN FLOODS.

Never before in the history of the country have western floods done so much damage as in the last two or three weeks. Hundreds of people and thousands of cattle have lost their lives in Arkansas and Mississippi, and numberless homes have been swept away by the waters. Immense damage too has been done to the cotton and other crops. There is great distress in those States.

CONKING.

The ex-boys of New York has perpetrated another of his brilliant practical jokes. Having allowed the President to nominate, and the Senate to confirm, him for a seat on the Supreme Bench, he declines the position without thanks. He is a great joker; but Arthur must feel a little streaked over the foolish fuss he has made to please his friend.

In the Popular Science Monthly for March, Miss M. A. Hardaker says for her sex, that woman is inferior to man, not by social environment, prejudice or tyranny of man, but from fixed physiological conditions from which woman can not escape; and quotes Prof. Bastian, who shows the average weight of the male brain is 494 oz., ranging from 46 to 53 oz., while the average of the female brain is only 44 oz., ranging from 41 to 47 oz. She also shows that the male brain can not fall below 37 ounces without involving idiocy, while the female brain may fall to 32 oz. without a like result. This last physiological fact, if it proves anything, proves too much for her theory. It proves that with the same amount of brain man is the greater fool of the two—in fact that woman can have far less brain than is fatal to man's intellect and not be a fool at all. We would respectfully remind Miss Hardaker that observation and physiology have long since proved that it is the quality of the brain and not the quantity that determines intellectual power.

The Musical Herald, Boston, for March, contains "Bride Bells" and other new music, besides a great amount of news concerning music, musical people, musical entertainments, etc.

The town elections held in Maine last Monday were nearly all carried by the Republicans.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

George P. Rowell & Co.—Mis. ads.
H. H. Warner—Remedial Statement.
Oscar Hutchinson—Pants Makers.
Nellie Paine—Painting.
H. P. Hubbard—Rough on Rats.
S. R. Niles—Addelina Parli.
T. M. Parker—California Minstrels.
G. W. Nichols—Local.
A. E. Thompson—"A Fine Lot," etc.
Y. M. C. A.—Fair.
S. R. Niles—For Sale.
C. E. Smith—Paper Hangings.
John Brainer—For Sale.
F. H. Lewis—Music.
Sparrow Horton—House Paper.

Read the Adeline Patti announcement in this paper.

J. M. Ellis & Co., with their express wagon are very handy people to have around.

Company G—Woburn Mechanic Philanthropy is the color company of the Fifth Mass. Regt.

The Weber Male Quartette of Boston, will give the winding-up concert of the W. H. S. G. A. course.

Miss Nellie Paine has a card in this paper which attention is called. She is a fine painter and successful instructor.

On Monday a young man angled a pickerel out of Horn Pond which pulled the beam at four pounds and a fraction.

Several months ago Mr. Frank B. French went to Cuba for his health. He has returned greatly improved physically.

Tuesday night was a pretty sharp one for March, but afforded no opportunities for the exercise of plumbers' skill in making out bills.

We notice that almost everybody are spitting on their hands and getting a good ready for the great Fair of the Y. M. C. A. next week.

Gage & Co., have a change of card this week to tell folks about their new spring goods. Gage & Co. can be relied on all the time.

The store of A. E. Thompson, Esq., is the "Old Reliable," and can be depended on every day in the week. Read the new card in this paper.

There are many places on our most travelled sidewalks where water stands for a long time after a storm, at which time they could be easily detected and remedied.

The Celtic Association will give a dramatic entertainment in Lyceum Hall on the evening of March 17, which bids fair to be a capital one. Let everybody go and help the boys out.

Nichols, 169 Main street, has never found a fine watch but what he has made it keep fine time, no matter how badly it had been handled before. Can give a long list of Woburn references with permission.

We congratulate Mr. George H. Day on the ease, grace and freedom with which he wields the reportorial pencil for the staid old Boston Journal, to which business he has lately been promoted. Shake, George.

Mr. Howard E. Strout, its Secretary, attended the meeting of the Boston Photographic Association last Friday evening and recorded its proceedings. The guild find this Association of great benefit in the prosecution of their business.

Mr. John Brauer offers his home on Eastern Avenue for sale cheap. It consists of a good house and out-buildings, flower and vegetable gardens, good orchard containing a large number choice pear trees, and is pleasantly situated. It can be bought at a bargain.

The Young People's Union of the Unitarian Society will give a musical and dramatic entertainment in the vestry of the church on the evening of March 23. From information gleaned from private sources we are led to the conclusion that it will be worth patronizing.

The members of the family of the late D. D. Hart desire to express thanks to the fraternal and business associates, friends and neighbors of deceased for their respect, friendship and esteem manifested at the funeral and church.

Woburn, March 6, 1882.

The interest already shown in the W. H. S. G. A. lecture course warrants the belief that the intellectual people in Woburn will take advantage of this rare opportunity of being able to attend such an excellent series of lectures and so good a concert, all for the small of one dollar.

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Mr. O. Rich will please accept our thanks for a copy of the New England Galaxy, Boston, of date May 18, 1883, which is real interesting reading. It contains a number of spicy communications and some smart things by the editor, Mr. William J. Snelling. We are indebted to Mr. Rich for copies of other papers.

On next Monday evening will be given the initial lecture in the Woburn High School Graduates Association course for which we learn that a goodly pile of tickets have been taken by our citizens. This is to be a very fine course, for the getting up of which we think Mr. Elmore A. Pierce is entitled to much praise. That it will be largely attended we haven't the least shadow of a doubt.

There is a great dearth of police news this week. The people are behaving themselves much better of late, a fact which gives pleasure to record: John A. Vining, assault and battery, 90 days House of Correction; Bartholomew, same, \$5 and costs; George H. Healey, 35 peace, \$5 and costs; James More assault and battery, \$5 and costs, went down. Agnes Devine, common drunkard 4 months House of Correction.

On Thursday 16th inst. Post 33, G. A. R., give their last entertainment for the season. A mixed programme will be presented introducing several persons quite new to a Woburn audience. It is proposed to make this last entertainment of especial interest in order to close a successful season with a fitting climax. The Post will also hold a reception and conversation at their hall late in the month, or early in April, at which they hope to greet all their friends in an evening of sociability and good fellowship.

Please read Mr. Cummings's change of card in this paper.

Charlie Munroe displays a lovely stock of neckwear and spring hats.

Mr. Burgess has a new announcement in this paper. Glance it over.

There were very brilliant Northern Lights last Wednesday night.

Eleven members have been added to the Episcopal church in this place during the past year.

Rehearsals are in progress for the grand entertainment to be given on the 4th Thursday evening in April.

Mr. C. E. Smith, a first class painter, paper-hanger, etc., has a card in this paper to which attention is called.

The Governor has named April 6th as a day of humiliation, fasting and prayer—commonly known as Fast Day.

The Democratic Town Committee have organized by electing Mr. S. Frankfort Trull its Chairman, and Mr. Albert G. Ham, Secretary. The Committee made a good selection for its officers.

The People desiring musical instruction, and that by competent teacher, will do well to note the card of Mr. F. H. Lewis in this paper. He is too well and favorably known here and in Boston to need any endorsement by the JOURNAL.

The trial of Henry Ferrin, for manslaughter, will commence at 9.30 A. M., Monday next, at the Superior Court, East Cambridge, Chief Justice Brigham presiding. William B. Gale and John G. Maguire, Esqs. appear for Ferrin, and District Attorney William B. Stevens and Assistant District Attorney Patrick H. Cooney, for the Government.

Putting in a new boiler this week has interrupted business somewhat in our office, as well as the smooth and tranquil flow of the reporter's thoughts and pencil. Messrs. J. T. Freeman & Co. furnished the boiler, which was put in shape for them by Mr. L. W. Parks, and made to do duty like a daisy. Freeman & Co. and their men are all first class machinists, and did a good job for the JOURNAL office.

We fear that the Democracy of Woburn, in strict accordance with their custom, will not give us their ticket for town officers in season to allow of their being raked fore and aft before the polls open. If the gentlemen will take our advice, they will make their nominations at least a week before the meeting, that everybody may have an opportunity to compare notes and make up their minds what to do.

Sol Smith Russell's show drew a large audience last Saturday evening. From an esthetic point of observation the criticism on the entertainment by our esteemed contemporary at 204 Main street will probably hold water; but to us just common sort of mortals who are not educated up to the altogether too too and sundowner standard the play seemed to be fairly bubbling with fun and permeated all through and through with richness.

The best Negro Minstrel Concert that has been given in Woburn since their last visit here was Whitmore & Clark's last Tuesday evening. This famous troupe never fails to please the people, for it is composed of real, genuine talent—each member is a first-class artist—and Hank White alone is a whole show with enough left over for one of the common kind of itinerant companies of the land. The show was a houseful of people present, by whom the entertainment was hugely enjoyed.

Skiff's celebrated California Minstrels, now performing at the Windsor Theatre to crowded houses, will hold forth in Lyceum Hall next Monday, and will doubtless play to a big house. The company consists of 35 members, among who are Fox and Ward, Wally Gibbs, Charles A. Mason, the California quartette—J. H. Murphy, Banks Winter, J. Rubie McDonald, and Charles N. Bassett—and other famous performers. It is meeting with great success in Boston this week, because it is a fine combination of talent. Mr. T. Marvin Parker is local manager.

On last Tuesday evening there was a very pleasant surprise party at the hospitable abode of James Skinner, Esq., the official head of the Board of Town Fathers, which was participated in by a large number of our best citizens. On the question of just how much of a surprise it was Mr. Skinner is reticent; but it is suspected that the family were taken a good deal unawares. The party however didn't find a lean ladder, and being people generally considered pretty heavy on the trencher, no doubt a good deal of the staff of life with trimmings was disposed of. It was a nice time.

On the evenings of the 15th and 16th instant, the Y. M. C. A. will hold their third annual Fair at the Congregational Church, for which ample preparations are making. There will be a pleasant musical and literary entertainment each evening, also a supper, and other good things to match. Fancy goods, works of art, "articles of virtue" for the adornment of "drawing-rooms," confectionery, ice cream, and merchants' wares will be for sale, and a great many attractive features have been provided for. No question but that this Fair will be the best yet held by the Association, and we have no doubt it will be most generously patronized by our people, especially by those who want to see the world go better.

Adeline Patti is announced by Mr. Henry E. Abbey to appear in three Grand Italian Operas, at the Grand Hall of the Mechanics' Building, in Boston, as follows: "LA TRAVIATA," Monday evening, March 20, "IL TROVATORE," Thursday evening, March 23, and "FAUST," Saturday matinee, at 2 P. M., March 25. The orchestra will number between 75 and 100, the chorus in proportion, and taken altogether the affair will be one of immense proportions. Those wishing to attend should send their applications for single or subscription seats to Horace McVicker, care of Abbey's Park Theatre, Boston, before the sale opens on the 11th inst. Owing to the immense number of seats available, the prices for the operas will be \$5 less than in New York, namely, reserved, \$2 and \$3; admission \$1; subscription seats for the three operas, \$7.50. Arrangements are being made for excursion trains on all roads leading into Boston.

Gentlemen claiming to have possession of the inside facts declare that the Boston Lowell & Concord R. R. Co. will within a reasonable period complete the construction of the Mystic Valley Railroad, supply it with the necessary rolling stock, and run it. It is proposed to begin with its connection with the Boston & Maine R. R. at Wilmington and finish it to Mystic and connect with its line there, and run the Lawrence and most of the Lowell trains over it. In addition to this the company promise to put on a short branch to connect with the Fitchburg R. R. Should all this be accomplished it will not only be a good thing for the B. & C. Co., but of great benefit to Woburn by opening up large tracts of excellent building land for occupation. We trust our information is reliable.

The meeting at Republican Headquarters last Monday evening was a good one. There was a large turnout of the bone and sinew of the party, and the deliberations had a bad look for the Democracy. The sentiment was substantially unanimous in favor of a straight-out Republican nomination from Moderator and head Selectman clean away down through to dog-pelter and hog-reeve, and that is just the sentiment of the party at large. The Committee of Fifteen are a unit in favor of the same, which is good evidence that they are level-headed men. The Committee not being ready to report, the meeting was adjourned to reassemble on the evening of March 20, when it is probable their report will be submitted and the nominations made. We are glad to see the Committee proceeding cautiously and deliberately, because it will give us better work and insure a better ticket.

To show that the Republicans of Woburn were not extremely partisan in the distribution of political favors when they were in power, and that the Democrats have been, we give the number elected from each party to the office of Selectmen for the last twenty-one years:

	R.	D.
1861.	6	3
1862.	6	3
1863.	7	2
1864.	6	3
1865.	8	1
1866.	7	2
1867.	7	2
1868.	6	4
1869.	6	4
1870.	6	3
1871.	5	4
1872.	3	6
1873.	1	4
1874.	7	2
1875.	7	2
1876.	8	1
1877.	5	4
1878.	6	3
1879.	5	4
1880.	0	9
1881.	0	9

A meeting of the younger members of the Republican party was held at the Republican Headquarters on Tuesday evening last, to form a temporary organization for the purpose of more effectively interesting the younger class of voters of Woburn in the issues of the approaching town election, and also to secure their active co-operation in the election of an efficient Board of Town Officers whose administration shall reflect credit on the town and serve to promote its best interests. Mr. Charles Bryant was chosen chairman, and Mr. Walter S. Cushing, secretary. A discussion as to the best ways and means of accomplishing the objects of the organization finally resulted in the choice of the following Executive Committee:—B. F. Kimball, F. S. Burgess, Herbert M. Seaver, Edward F. Johnson, George A. Day, Clarence Pierce, Frank Dodge, F. A. Buckman, Frank Richardson, W. W. Woodman, S. A. Thompson, E. M. Munyan, J. W. Ellard, J. A. Thompson, A. D. Carter, J. M. Kimball, Howard E. Strout, Charles M. Strout, H. J. Bryant, F. J. Brown, F. B. French, A. J. Haynes. The meeting adjourned to Tuesday evening, March 14. All young men interested in this movement are requested to be present at the next meeting.

The funeral of the late Mr. David Dexter Hart took place at the family residence on last Saturday and was largely attended by those who had been his neighbors and friends. Quite a number of the officers and employees of the Boston, Lowell & Concord Railroad, who were associated with deceased in former days, were also present. The services were brief but solemn and impressive. On Sunday morning appropriate memorial services were held at the Congregational church, which was beautifully prepared for the occasion. The floral offerings were profuse, consisting of a pillar in white pinks bound in English ivy on which was worked in flowers the word "Father," on one side the altar; on the opposite side were the Square and Compasses of the Freemasons, of which Order Mr. Hart was a member, in rare flowers and buds; in front of the altar standing on a table was broken column of white pinks, rosesbuds and snailax, and "Rest" exquisitely worked on it; a sickle of pansies and English ivies, within which stood a sheaf of wheat; and other beautiful things. These, except the Square and Compasses, were the work of Mr. A. A. Lamb, florist, of Stoughton, this State, who exhibited fine taste in their composition. Members of the family occupied the seats reserved for them in the audience room, as also did Mount Hope Lodge of Masons, and railroad men—all in proximity to the altar. Some appropriate pieces were given by Mr. Buck, the organist, and the selections by the choir were beautifully and feelingly rendered. On the text: "Godliness: Honesty" Rev. Dr. March delivered an eloquent discourse. While not of the character of an eulogy the address was a noble and generous tribute to the worth and virtues of a good man. Mr. Hart commanded the respect of all who knew him. He was honest, true, and generous to a fault, if generosity can be carried that far. Dr. March was intimately acquainted with him; he was an active and influential member of the Doctor's church, and no one could speak better to his memory than the beloved pastor. The deceased had been a man of large business interests and connections. He identified himself with the growth and prosperity of the town. In all good works; in public and private charities he was a leader. Everybody who has known him was a friend to all. Dr. March's discourse was listened to by the vast audience with the closest attention and marked feeling. It was timely, just, and beautiful. With music and a benediction the solemn services closed.

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Mr. S. Horton has an endless variety of wall-paper to an examination of which he cordially invites all good housewives.

An elopement in pretty high life is reported this morning, but how much truth there is in the yarn cannot be learned at present. It may be all right, and it may not be.

Private George H. Ellison was appointed a corporal by Capt. Converse, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Corporal H. T. Simonds, who has removed to Worcester.

Mr. Albert Thompson contributes some fine landscapes to a large collection by several well-known artists at Sullivan Bros. & Libbie in the city. The collection is spoken highly of by the critic.

We recommend a careful perusal of the advertisement of the Boston Clothing Company, of which our friend John C. Buck is manager, by the readers of the JOURNAL. A capital stock will be found there.

Learning that Mr. and Mrs. George W. Anthony were to leave town on Thursday to take up their residence in Roxbury, some twenty of their good friends broke in on them on Wednesday and gave them a real shock. They were not looking for anybody, especially such an esthetic crowd, but a jolly pleasant evening was spent nevertheless. There were more sunflowers in the party than two boys could shake a stick at, and Mrs. Wildoscar was the cynosure of all eyes.

The Unitarian vestry was very handsomely fitted up and arranged for the Japanese Tea Party last evening, if it is possible to arrange and fit up Japanese goods, wares and merchandise so that they may be said to look handsome. Real good taste was displayed in the decorations, and with the lanterns alight and the bright colored cloths, fans, baskets and so forth hanging from ceiling, walls and pillars, it was a gay scene indeed. Still, we aren't going to admit that we are head-over-heels in love with Japanese decorations.

At the Vespers at the Unitarian church on Sunday evening, the following programme of music will be rendered:

- Organ Prelude. Weber.
- Gloria. Dr. G. W. Jones of Cambridge.
- Anthem for Mass. Dudley Buck.
- Quartette—with solos. Farmer.
- Organ improvisation. Theme from Donizetti.
- Response. Dr. Jones.
- Choir Hymn. Music composed for this occasion by Dr. Jones.
- Solo. Mr. Shaw.
- Organ Postlude. Dr. G. W. Jones.

On Tuesday afternoon the Board of Selectmen held their regular meeting in their rooms. The following business was transacted:

Voted to hold a special meeting Saturday evening next at 8 o'clock.

A petition from E. C. Ingalls et al. for a street from Rag Rock Avenue to Abbott St. was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Voted to meet Monday, March 13, at 3.30 p. m., to revise the voting list.

Voted that the meetings for the registration of voters be held March 24, 25, 30, 31 and April 1.

Voted that the Warrant for the annual Town Meeting be closed March 21.

The Overseers of the Poor recommended that Mr. and Mrs. Gray be engaged as Master and Matron of the Almshouse for another year. The recommendation was accepted and adopted.

NORTH WOBURN.

The concluding entertainment of the Chapel Course will be given next Wednesday evening, March 15. "Caste" has been selected for presentation for which first class talent has been secured, including Messrs. T. Marvin Parker, the veteran manager, and Albert Thompson, the well-known artist, and others. The play will be put on in the very best shape, and a fine orchestra has been secured to furnish the music. The Course has been very successful in every respect, thanks to the enterprising ladies who have had the management of it. Each entertainment has been of the highest order of merit, and all have been liberally patronized. The finish should be witnessed by all North Woburnites and scores from The Centre, as no doubt it will be. A tip top dramatic entertainment is promised, and then the good ladies should be rewarded for their successful efforts to please the people with a full house.

More Talk.

Political sharpshooters are aiming at the Fifth District for candidates. General Lawrence of Medford will not take it; Cummings of Woburn would like it; Hall of Saugus itches for it; Lodge of Nahant can't get it; General Banks of Waltham has something better; Bowman is sure of it if he will take it.—Sovereign Journal.

The Somerville Journal has spoken on the congressional question and its words are quoted elsewhere. It is very sure that Mr. Bowman can have the nomination if he wants it. Its Woburn namesake knows, however, that John Cummings can have it if he wants it, as both those gentlemen cannot have it at the same time, we beg to suggest that somebody is going to find himself mistaken.—Medford Mercury.

That "somebody" will probably be the Mercury whose candidate is Gen. Lawrence of Medford.

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BURLINGTON.

Town meeting, Monday March 13.

The lecture course will close next Tuesday evening, March 14, with a grand concert at the Town Hall. It will be a very fine entertainment and a goodly audience is expected.

Committee's Report.

Money collected for Soldiers' Bazaar:
Money solicited by Committee and proceeds of entertainments \$418 72
Fancy articles sent to Bazaar 40 00
Cakes given by W. B. Harris 25 25
Cakes sent for one day 6 00
Total \$490 97

Mrs. J. S. TRUE, for the Committee.

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For a Day of Fasting, Humiliation and Prayer.

Whereas it is in accordance with a good and ancient custom so to do:

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It is not this the fact that I have chosen? To loose the bands of wickedness, to undo the heavy burdens, and let the oppressed go free, and that ye break every yoke?"

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JOHN D. LONG.

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HENRY B. PRINCE, Secretary.

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[St. Louis Chronicle.]

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From Winchester to Boston 6.03, 6.23, 6.38, 7.08, 7.40, 8.28, 9.08, 9.10, 10.23, 11.43, A. M.; 1.23, 1.57, 2.57, 3.25, 4.00, 4.57, 5.11, 5.30, 6.07, 6.23, 6.42, 8.40, 10.23, 10.36 P. M.

*Wednesdays only.

WINCHESTER.

St. Mary's Society are catering to the intellectual growth of their grown-up members. Right.

Burglars made an unsuccessful attempt to break and enter the house of Mr. Chas. O. Billings, on Tuesday evening, Feb. 28, by breaking out a window. They were frightened away by a dog in the house.

I am sorry to learn that Mr. Louis Lane, well-known among the young men of this town, left home on Wednesday morning for the west, where he goes to work for the Cincinnati and St. Louis R. R. We wish him prosperity.

Mr. Joel Whitney of this town has a part of the job of repairing and rebuilding the machinery of the Rubber Factory lately burned at Cambridge (lower part). Mr. W. is a first-class mechanic and I feel sure he will give perfect satisfaction.

Before Judge Littlefield: Hugh and John O'Donnell, sons of Neil O'Donnell, were before Judge Littlefield charged with larceny of lumber from Maxwell's shop. They were placed on probation until April, their father paying the costs of court.

The flowers represented in the cantata of the Flower Queen given by the young ladies are: the rose, sunflower, crocus, dahlia, heliotrope, lily, japonica, magnolia, holly-hock and heatherbells, which are personified by the Misses Addie E. Mason, Josie H. Fletcher, Mary Richards, F. A. Holbrook, Madge L. Mosely, Marilla Metcalf, R. Amy Holbrook, A. P. Norcross, Gracie Brown, Ethel Small, Lily Snow, Marion Stone and Flora Richardson.

A correspondent of the Star, who slings a caustic quill, gives our Water Board a pretty thorough going-over in last week's issue of that able and influential journal. As to the writer's premises, or his statement of facts, I know nothing; but one side of a story is good until the other is told, and it is just barely possible that the Water Board, if so disposed, might put in a rejoinder which would give an entirely different coloring to the whole question. At any rate, all these matters are safe in the hands of the people, who will settle this mixed subject at the coming "March meeting."

As I close my budget of news for this week's JOURNAL, I hear that the young ladies of this village, who, in the way of furnishing good things for the public are always prompt and generous, propose to give the beautiful cantata of the "Flower Queen" on this (Thursday) and to-morrow (Friday) evenings, for the benefit of the N. E. Hospital for Women and Children. It is to be produced under the superintendence of Mrs. S. C. Bailey, who is a musically educated lady of the first rank, and also peculiarly adapted for this sort of work. The entertainment will, no doubt, be well attended.

It was reported that Petroleum V. Nasby was in town on the day before he was to have lectured in Woburn (and didn't) on his way to Locke's Hill to visit relatives and friends. You know, of course, that Nasby was born on that delightful eminence, and that the Lockes—an honest and prosperous race—who now cultivate its rich acres, are relatives of his. He was born on the far side of the highway, and therefore just missed the honor of first seeing the light in the old town of Woburn; but he has made Locke's Hill famous all the same as being the birth-place of one of America's most gifted humorists.

There has been considerable excitement here this week over the sudden and mysterious illness of several members of the family of Mr. J. D. Callahan. The cause of it is still inexplicable to the five doctors who have been called. A child of Mr. C. was taken sick on Monday and died in twenty hours after. An autopsy was held, and the stomach and contents sent to a Boston chemist for analysis, there being symptoms present in it of mineral poison. Two other children and a boarder were soon after taken in the same way, none of whom however, have died, although very sick. The doctors do not agree as to the cause of this illness, though I hear that none of them hold to the opinion very strongly that the food or drink of the family had been poisoned.

I hear very little said concerning the Judgeship and conclude the subject is not being agitated to any considerable extent. It is presumed however that Judge Littlefield is not ill but is probably locating wires that will be pulled in due season and to some effect. The office is a tolerably soft thing—\$1,200 per annum for life isn't a very bitter pill to swallow, and I am not surprised that it is not likely to go begging among the lawyers in the District. My opinion is—and you have it for what it is worth—that the appointment lies between Judge Littlefield and your Judge Converse, though lawyer Bond of Woburn is mentioned now and then. Either would fill the requirements of the statute, to wit: "of sobriety of manners and learned in the law"—and consequently would grace the Bench and honor the judicial robes.

Election of officers in the Fire Department: Steamer 1, Edgar Chase, engineer; John McLaughlin, fireman.

House 1, James McLaughlin, Foreman; John Enman, Asst.; Henry W. Plummer, Clerk; Daniel Rooney, Treasurer; Henry W. Plummer, Driver.

House 2, Fred M. Symmes, Foreman; N. A. Knapp, Asst.; E. B. Wadleigh, Clerk; W. F. Summes, Steward.

House 3, Not elected at the present writing.

House 4, E. Herberts, Foreman; J. Barton, Asst.; H. Bailey, Clerk and Treasurer; E. Herberts, Steward.

House 5, C. Farrington, Foreman; J. Ayer, Asst.; W. Farrington, Clerk; J. Ayer, Treasurer; W. Locke, Steward.

Hook and Ladder, W. J. Bryant, Foreman; D. W. Danton, Asst.; C. L. White, Clerk and Treasurer.

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A. CUMMINGS.

Charles J. Staples of the Harvard Divinity School will preach at the Unitarian church next Sunday.

Stanley & Usher of Boston have the town reports this year. The bid of your neighbor, Mr. Mark Allen of the *Advertiser*, was \$225.50—pretty close business.

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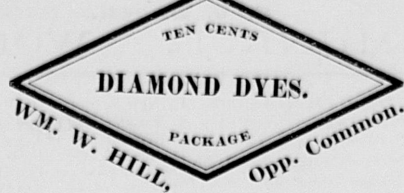
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5:35, 7:00, P. M. Peterboro 7:30 A. M., 3:00 P. M.
Rte. 7, 6:45 A. M., 3:15 P. M. Keene, 6:55 A. M.,
Manchester and Keene R. R., 7:30 A. M., 3:00 P. M.
Rte. 8, leave Keene 6:00 A. M., 1:45 P. M.
Greenfield, Wilton, and Milford, 7:30 A. M., 3:00, 5:35
P. M.
Northfield, 7:50, 11:50 A. M., 12 M., 2:30, 3:00, 5:35
11:00 P. M.
Lowell, 7:30, 8, 11:30, 10, 11 A. M., 12 M., 1:45,
2:30, 3:45, 4:45, 5:35, 6:15, 11:00, 11:15, P. M.
Lawrence, 8:00, 8:30, 11 A. M., 12:00, 3:00, 4:15,
5:35, 6:15, 11:15 P. M.
Wilmington, 7:50, 8:00, 8:30, 10, 11 A. M., 12:00 M.,
1:15, 2:30, 3:45, 4:45, 5:35, 6:15, 11:15, 11:15 P. M.
Waltham Hill, 7:30, 8:00, 10, 11 A. M., 2:30, 4, 4:45, 6:15,
7:15, 11:15 P. M.
Stoneham, 6:45, 8, 9:45, 10 A. M., 12:10, 3:45, 4:45, 5:40,
6:15, 6:50, 10:30, P. M.
Montvale, 7:30, 8, 9:45, 10 A. M., 12:10, 3:45, 4:45, 5:40,
6:15, 6:50, 10:30, P. M.
WOBURN CENTRE. 6:45, 7:35, 9, 10, 11:30 A. M.,
12:10, 1:15, 3:15, 4:00, 4:30, 5:10, 5:40, 6:00, 6:30,
7:30, 9:30, 11:20 P. M. Sundays at 9:45 A. M., 5,
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Winchester, 6:45, 7:30, 8:35, 8:50, 9:45, 10, 11:15, 11:30,
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9:45, 11:35 A. M., 12:45, 3:20, 4:35, 5:40, 6:35, 7:40 P. M.
Saturdays at 8:00 P. M.
Leave Woburn Centre at 6:30, 7:30, 9:00, 10:35,
A. M., 12:05, 1:40, 3:50, 5:05, 6:10, 7:05, 8:10, P. M.,
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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

JUDGE OF THE NEW COURT.

The District Court is to be established here—no doubt about that. Now, the question arises, who is to be the Judge of it? The Woburn lawyers and citizens are unanimous in favor of Judge Converse. Burlington people will probably be arrayed on the same side. Then let it be Judge Converse. A better man for the place cannot be found in the three towns.

Likewise, who shall be the Clerk of said Court? Public sentiment and preference point to Mr. Edward F. Johnson, a recent graduate of the Harvard Law School, a young man of more than ordinary parts, and excellently fitted for the office. The JOURNAL would hail Mr. Johnson's appointment with great pleasure.

IN FAVOR OF RUM.

Last Monday Stoneham held her annual Town Meeting. Strange to relate she voted by 72 majority to license rum-selling within her borders. This is all the more singular for these reasons: first, Stoneham village, one of the most delightful in the State, lies only two and one half miles from the very moral, temperate, Christian and upright village of Woburn; second in the Independent she has one of the most stalwart, influential and ably conducted temperance organs in Middlesex county. How, against the united influence of these two powerfully elevating and purifying agencies Stoneham should cast her vote for rum is a mystery which confounds the wisdom of the JOURNAL and fills its breast with alarm.

THE NEW APPOINTMENT.

The Republican majority in the General Court have in their power to make the Massachusetts Congressional delegation solidly Republican if so minded. Whether they will do it or not remains to be seen. A degree of honesty is looked for in politics, but it is too much to ask of a party to throw away all the good chances that come in its way; therefore we should favor an appointment that would give us the whole delegation if possible; if not, the next best thing, keeping in view all the time a decent degree of political integrity.

MALICIOUS.

Our highly respected neighbor, the Medford Mercury, never allows to pass unimproved an opportunity to stick its gall-laden pen into the not overly sensitive article of Henry Cabot Lodge, Esq. The following is its latest thrust: "We have it very straight that Mr. H. Cabot Lodge will hereafter confine his aspirations to congressional limits. Running for state senatorship has lost its novelty. The presidential bee is not yet in his bonnet, but is heading that way."

THE NEW DISTRICT.

A late issue of the Boston Traveller contained the result of its labors at re-districting the State, which made a very fair showing, and yet it is surmised the Legislature will not consider itself bound by the Traveller's work. We notice that it retains Nahant in this District and lops off Charlestown, which, if approved by the men at the Capitol, will give Messrs. Bowman and Lodge an opportunity to cross swords again next summer.

NEXT MONDAY EVENING.

A large meeting is earnestly desired at the Republican Headquarters next Monday evening by the Committees and managers of the canvass, and they are likely to be gratified. It is important that the report of the Committee of Fifteen be intelligently considered, and if nominations are made on that evening, that they be the best that can be had.

MRS. HOWE, THE BANKER.

At last her enemies have succeeded in getting Mrs. Sarah E. Howe, President of the Woman's Bank in Boston, behind the bars. She has been sentenced to three years to the House of Correction. And not one half of her persecutors are as honest as she is, or was while running the bank.

THE WOBURN DISTRICT COURT.

The Judiciary Committee of the House will, if it has not already done so, report in favor of establishing the prayed-for Woburn District Court, and within a short period thereafter the new judicial mill will be in full operation. The report we understand is to be made this week.

JUDGE BLATCHFORD.

Mr. Conkling and Judge Edmunds having declined the vacant seat on the Supreme Bench of the United States, Judge Blatchford of New York has been nominated, and will probably be confirmed. It is said that he was the President's first choice, and is a grand good man for the place.

CONGRESSMAN BOWMAN.

It is gratifying to know that the M. C. from this District has nearly recovered from his late severe illness, and is at his post again.

It is probable that the new apportionment will divide the Fifth District and leave the Lynn Republicans to struggle with an evenly-matched Democracy. This would lessen the number of candidates with whom Mr. Bowman will have to contend if he runs again and materially improve his chances.—Medford Mercury.

The first proposition is doubted, brother Smythe.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

S. B. Siler—Carpets.

S. M. Pettibone & Co.—Dr. Greene.

J. G. Maguire—Citation.

Adeline Patti—Opera.

—If you wish a perfect fitting silk hat go to Hammond's.

—Mr. Charles Shaw sang a solo splendidly at the Unitarian vespers last Sunday.

—The addition to Mr. Cummings's store is progressing nicely.

—How does that rubber factory enterprize get along? Our business men oughtn't to let that slip through their fingers.

—Have the opera-loving people of Woburn secured their seats for Patti? The rush for tickets is immense.

—An Arctic wave struck this vicinity on Monday and put in some very respectable folks for this time of year.

—Skiff's California Minstrels were well patronized last Monday evening, and gave a good show.

—A fan, gold ring, and shawl-pin found in the Hall after the Odd Fellows Ball. Apply to T. J. White.

—Mr. Mark Allen's editorials of late have not been very comforting to the Democracy.

—Some Woburn Free Masons attended Lodge in Masonic Temple, Boston, last Monday evening, and had a good time.

—Within a radius—radius is the word, we believe—of five miles from the Liberty Pole on Woburn Common are published weekly not less than 17 or 19 newspapers!

—A Robie keeps all the popular literary weeklies, leading dailies, and Woburn JOURNAL on his counters, and sells heaps of them.

—Charles Munroe's clothing store continues to be a favorite resort for men folks who want to buy nice, fashionable suits fair prices.

—The Boston Post says both political parties in Woburn are preparing for a death struggle at the ballot box next Town Meeting day. Not so bad as that we hope.

—It may be of interest to the patrons of the Public Library to know that a large number of new books have been received and will be ready for delivery to-day.

—Petroleum V. Nasby gives good reasons for failing to come to time here with his lecture to the Land League in a letter to J. G. Maguire, Esq., published in this paper.

—The Vesper services at the Unitarian church last Sunday were very enjoyable. Considering the inclemency of the weather there was a good audience.

—A "Constant Reader" of the JOURNAL, of an enquiring turn of mind, wants to know what has become of the coffee-house scheme. Can't inform him.

—A "Subscriber," the lute-strings of whose soul are tuned clean up to the Bionic in song, so to speak, asks for information respecting the Shakespeare Club.

—It is time to be looking up a court house for the new District Court. Will Judge Converse see to this right away? The JOURNAL has its eye on a good one.

—Mr. John R. Carter pronounces the JOURNAL's last week's statement respecting the future of the Mystic Valley R.R. substantially correct. The JOURNAL is always correct.

—Tickets for the balance of the W. H. S. G. A. course are 80 cents; scholars, ditto 60 cents. Holders of tickets can obtain reserved seats at the drug store of Mr. Fred Leeds.

—The Celtic Association will give, not exactly "St. Patrick's Day in the Morning," but a first class dramatic entertainment this evening. The prospect is that they will have a crowded house.

—The sale of seats for the Patti Opera Season at Mechanics' Building, Boston, opened on Monday with over 200 people in line, the receipts averaging over \$1800 an hour for 10 hours.

—Are the temperance men buckling on their armor to contest the question of "license" or "no license" at the polls next Town Meeting day? They can bet their bottom dollar that the enemy will be round armed and equipped.

—Just as a matter of curiosity we should like to be informed how many men in this town are now getting their pay for voting the Democratic ticket early and often in April prox., by having their names placed on the road pay-roll. This is the time of year when the Democracy are busy looking after their crops.

—The trial of Henry Ferrin of this town for manslaughter, in causing the death of Mrs. Matilda Raymond in November last, at her residence on Church street, the details of which are well-known to our people, commenced in the Superior Court at Cambridge on Monday last, on which day the jury viewed the premises on Church street.

On Tuesday testimony was received from George F. Hartsorn, Civil Engineer, Dr. Bartlett and Harlow of Woburn, and Dr. Abbott of Wakefield, the Medical Examiner, George J. and John I. Munroe, Mrs. Cassidy, Mrs. King, and Chief of Police Conn. On Wednesday the following named witnesses testified for the Government: Dr. Bartlett, Vestius Gray, Almira Skilton, Martha C. Munroe, Maria Francis, Mary Roberts. For the defence—James Claffy, Frank Shea, Michael Ferrin, Bridget Ferrin, William Ferrin, Edward Simonds, Benjamin E. Bond. William B. Gale, Esq., made closing plea for the prisoner, speaking one hour and a half. On Thursday morning W. Stevens, District Attorney, closed for the Government.

—The question of Carpets is a matter directly interesting every housekeeper, and yet it is one that is too often slighted, when we consider to how great an extent these necessary fabrics enter into the adornment, comfort and health of our home life. When judiciously selected, as to texture, design and color, they are a constant delight for years, and prove most economical in the end. When purchased simply because they are cheap, the cleanness vanishes, and they are usually an eyesore from the day they are put down until the long-suffering victim tears them up in despair. For such a selection a good light is necessary for inspection, and purchasers like to choose from patterns that are the latest and most artistic, with an undoubted guaranty as to quality. The extensive warehouses of Joel Goldblatt & Co., 163 to 169 Washington Street, Boston, afford all these inducements, and are now filled with a superb assortment of all the choicest makes of foreign and domestic carpeting, suited to the wants of all classes, an inspection of which will prove interesting to all.

—Spring greens have put in an appearance, and the small boy with them.

—Capt. Mathews tells that telephone stations are multiplying in town. North Village and West Side are going to indulge.

—There were three runaways on Saturday last, and yet there are some people who think Woburn ought not to be a city.

—If you have an old style silk hat which you think is good for nothing carry it to Hammond's and see if it cannot be made over to look as good as new.

—Woburn Democrats are probably as wise as serpents, but, politically speaking, they are not as harmless as doves. They will stand a good deal of close watching.

—Mr. J. Henry Symonds, a member of the Y. M. C. A., very kindly printed the paper for their Fair gratuitously. It made quite a saving in the expenses of the Fair.

—Mrs. O. J. Smith, a very competent teacher in water colors and china painting, can accommodate a few more pupils. Fine samples from her brush may be seen at Mr. A. M. Smith's opposite the Library.

—The Gilcrest Hook & Ladder company illuminated their attractive hall to another one of their popular assemblies last Wednesday evening which was well attended and greatly enjoyed.

—A death of Woburn news in the Boston Herald for a few days past is accounted for by the absence of Mr. Marcellus Littlefield, the reporter, who has been on a visit to New York State, from whence he returned on Tuesday evening.

—At a meeting of the officers of the M. E. Church of this place, held last Saturday evening, it was voted unanimously to request the return of Rev. V. M. Simons, their present pastor, to serve them another year. This is the first call made since 1866 for a three-year's pastorate to this church.

—The Selectmen will be in session at their office for the purposes of registering voters and making corrections of the voting list, on March 23, 24, 25, 30, 31, from 7.30 to 9 o'clock p. m., and on April 1 from 7 to 10 o'clock p. m., when registrations for annual Town Meeting closes.

—The Harper's Geographies used in the Woburn schools are the work of a Woburn man—Mr. Emerson, formerly Principal of High School and brother of Mr. Lincoln Emerson. He has charge of the school books department of the great publishing house of Harper Brothers, New York.

—On last Saturday evening, Mr. Charles Bancroft, retiring member of the firm of E. Cummings & Co., leather, was made the recipient of an elegant and costly silver service from the employees of the firm. The present was made as a token of the high esteem in which Mr. Bancroft is held by those late in his employ.

—Mr. John C. Buck is well satisfied with the new store and location where he is, and, also, we understand, with the business outlook. The store is roomy; is finely fitted up and furnished; is centrally located, and what's more it is filled with first-rate stock of clothing, hats and caps, and furnishing goods, all of which is sold cheap.

—A valuable mare belonging to Mrs. Calvin Wyman became frightened near Hann's mill, on Monday afternoon, and turning suddenly threw the driver, Mr. Coolidge Bryant, and wife, from the carriage, and then put out. After wildly coursing several streets the animal ran against a stone hitching post in front of Mr. A. E. Thompson's store with such force as to break her back and otherwise injure her. She was soon killed to end her misery. Mr. and Mrs. Bryant were not seriously injured, but the wagon was made a wreck of. The horse was shot by Mr. Eli Cooper, agent of the P. O. C. T. A. S.

—To Rev. J. Frank Winkley, rector of Trinity church, is hereby awarded the credit of reporting the first robin of the season, which he saw and heard sing just a week ago this morning. If anybody but a divine whose veracity is unimpeachable had made the statement we should have taken it with many grains of salt, for the Boston Journal said the other day that a man will tell a bigger lie about seeing the first robin or bluebird in the spring than about going fishing, and our observation sustains the Journal's position. But Brother Winkley isn't that kind of a man.

—No Surrender Lodge, No. 110, of the L. O. L. of America, held its annual meeting on the evening of March 9, when the following officers were elected: Andrew F. Ray, W. M.; Edward Montgomery, Dep. M.; W. Knight Walton, Sec'y; James Given, Treas.; James Ray, Chap.; William Buestad. Committee—James Love, James Robbins, Fred Given, James H. Buestad, James Robbins, Fred Given, Board of Trustees—James Given, Alex. Buestad, Andrew F. Ray. Conductors—Frank Graham, Moses Given. The Lodge is in a prosperous condition, having in funds and property \$581.72.

—We have observed a disposition on the part of some to poke fun at the JOURNAL for claiming that Woburn is a Republican town. Let us see: the Democratic majority last spring was only a little rising a hundred, and they had the registry of voters all in their own hands too. Now, it must be a smart set of men that can't give their party a couple of hundred ballots more than it ought to have in a total poll of nearly 2000, under such favorable circumstances. Put the registry and polling lists into good conscientious hands and then see where the Democracy would be. The JOURNAL is right about it.

—The lecture of Prof. Applebee in the W. H. S. G. A. course, given in High School Hall, last Monday evening, was, of all the most critical or exacting could ask for. As a literary production it was a gem, with which the couple of hundred of educated and cultured people were well pleased.

—Charles Dickens was the theme of the eloquent lecturer, and that is a subject which all people of literary tastes love to hear talked about. It was treated in a scholarly manner, and the parts read from the works of the gifted and lamented author were just those which best fitted in to the lecture. As remarked, there was a fine audience present, and we have no doubt it will be much larger on the evening of March 20, when Prof. Applebee will give us his views of, with readings from, the "Merchant of Venice."

—Thanks to the managers of Y. M. C. A. Fair for courtesies.

—Smith & Son's trade in carpets is beginning to open up very encouragingly. They have an excellent stock, and sell at less than Boston prices generally.

—The Jones & Doyle barge which now leaves Cummingsville at 5.30 p. m. will on and after Monday next, leave there at 6 p. m.

—It is probably true that Hon. A. E. Thompson will be nominated by the Democrats for a member of the Board of Selectmen. Mr. Thompson has acceptably served in the position in years past.

—By a generous act on the part of the engineers through their chief, Mr. Clarence Littlefield, a horse has been placed at the disposal of the Highland Horse company to be used in drawing their carriage to fires.

—We shouldn't be much surprised if our new Librarian, Mr. Cutter, should take it into his head to furnish the JOURNAL with occasional bits of local history, and if he does they will be something worth reading and preserving. Nobody can do that thing better than Mr. Cutter.

—A horse driven by Mrs. Charles Bancroft to a top-buggy, on Wednesday afternoon, reared and fell over near the watering trough at the south side of the Common and created quite an excitement. The carriage was upset and Mrs. Bancroft had one arm slightly injured. No other damage was done.

—Four non-coms. of the Phalanx paid an official visit to Colonel Bancroft, commander of the Fifth Regiment on last Tuesday evening at the Headquarters in Boston, and after a series of interrogatory remarks on the part of their commander, left, favorably impressed with their newly elected colonel.

—John Edwards and Charles Morse who have recently figured in the "Bell case," the former having been arrested on suspicion, and both of whom are peddlers, were arrested in Woburn by Officer Boyle two years ago, on suspicion, they being found at a late hour in the horse sheds of the Orthodox Church.

—It is suspected that the Democrats are laying deep schemes to elect their ticket for town officers this spring. Though wonderfully "childlike and bland" to all outward appearance, no people are more given to "ways that are dark and tricks that are vain" than these same Democrats; and unless they are watched, and strictly watched too, they will catch somebody next April as sure as fate.

—The place for a Public Park is that Property bounded by Salem and Broad streets and Montvale Avenue, which, with two streets running north and south through it, would make a Park handy to the large part of our population, and one of sufficient size to be an ornament to the town besides a pleasure to her people. There are several well grown trees upon it, the land is rolling, and a fine stream of water passes through it.

—The Echo calls for a business street to lead off of Main, to take some of the travel and open new stores. While we have but one street upon which stores are located, the back of which are upon one side, that sidewalks will be crowded, and will necessitate officers upon it all the time evenings to keep it clear, and stores are needed, and that too of a better class than our poorest, with good rear entrances where teams can load and unload. Where can it be located?

—The dancing committee of the Highland Horse company, under whose successful management the parties of the company have been held, with one or two associates, who attended the dancing school lately closed, intend to give the last party of the season to be held in Highland Hall, on the evening of the 22nd of March. All are acquainted as to the character of the dances and the fine quality of the music, and as the tickets—which are limited—are being quickly disposed of, we surmise an enjoyable evening will be the result.

—The reported elopement of Mr. Lucy of Boston, organist at the Unitarian church here, with his cousin, Mrs. Elmas P. Richardson of North Woburn, turns out to have been no elopement at all. On Thursday afternoon of last week Mrs. Richardson left home, presumably to visit a sick sister in New York, with perhaps no intention of returning, as she and her husband have not been on the most amicable terms for some time past. She had been quite ill for several weeks and a disordered condition of the nervous system may have had considerable to do about her leaving home. Nothing more serious than incompatibility of disposition has been the cause of the unpleasantness between Mr. and Mrs. Richardson, for both possess unblemished characters, against which not a breath of suspicion was ever heard. Mrs. Richardson has gone, but why Mr. Richardson is as much in the dark as any one, unless their unhappy relationship was a brief reason for departing without town. Let us see: the Democratic majority last spring was only a little rising a hundred, and they had the registry of voters all in their own hands too. Now, it must be a smart set of men that can't give their party a couple of hundred ballots more than it ought to have in a total poll of nearly 2000, under such favorable circumstances. Put the registry and polling lists into good conscientious hands and then see where the Democracy would be. The JOURNAL is right about it.

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—The Boston station of the Boston-Lowell & Concord R. R. is soon to be illuminated by the electric light.

—A certain lady in this town, with whom the writer of this is on quite intimate terms, desires to return her best thanks to Leonard Thompson, Esq., for an elegant nosegay from the flower table of the Y. M. C. A. Fair.

—In view of the great persecution of the Jews in Russia at the present time, the lecture of Prof. Applebee next Monday evening will be of more than ordinary interest, the part of Shylock, the Jew, making a part thereof.

—Mr. Frank Trull's business in the City will not admit of his accepting the urgent invitation of his party to stand for a re-election this spring. He declines the nomination without conditions for he is not enamored of the position, and would not take it even if his business did not interfere. Mr. Trull has made a good town officer this year.

—The third annual Fair of the Y. M. C. A., held in the vestries of the Congregational Church on Wednesday and Thursday evenings last, was the best of the three. The public generally were strongly interested in its success which insured a large attendance and sales on each evening. The committees had prepared everything in the very best manner and the people found it very pleasant to gather together in the handsomely decorated, brilliantly illuminated, and comfortably arranged rooms of the Fair. A portion of the main vestry was cordoned off and contained a rare collection of curiosities, art products, ancient historical documents, being exhibited for a small fee, were well patronized by the visitors, especially by the gentlemen who were attracted to its doors by the pretty misses, probably, who took in the dimes and did the agreeable to them. This room contained a fine collection of carved work by Mr. Leach, some ancient town records furnished by Mr. Nathan Wyman, the portrait of Judge Sewell who sentenced the Salem witches, Egyptian implements, pictures by eminent artists, etc. A pagoda decorated with paper flowers, baskets and other articles, presided over by fair young ladies, attracted much attention, particularly the sunflowers which were of immense size and unusual brilliancy. In the centre of the main room were tables containing goods for sale. There were confectionery, cake, apron and flower tables, and one containing the varied and various contributions of the merchants, all of which were liberally patronized. They were handsomely set out with ornaments, and made a very attractive appearance. It was observed that sunflowers were profusely and conspicuously scattered about the rooms, showing that the esthetic spirit of the day had been felt and had its influence in making the decorations of the rooms. An excellent supper was served all through each evening, and the hunger of hundreds was appeased with the piles of rich and palatable viands under the weight of which the ample tables groaned. Many people from abroad were in attendance, among whom we noticed with pleasure Mr. Charles Parker, editor of the Arlington Advocate—a Woburn boy without guile. The tables were under the general superintendence of Mr. G. R. Gage, who left details to committees of practical ladies, and the result were promptness, order, excellent serving and complete success. The entertainments in the parlors were well patronized and richly deserved their patronage. Each one was pleasing throughout, and an important feature in the programme. Financially the Fair was a great achievement. The receipts exceeded the expectations of the most hopeful. A large amount of money was gathered into the coffers of the Association—to be expended for the good of their fellow-men. Socially too nothing more could have been desired. There were cordial greetings and pleasant converse among people who had not thus met for many months, and all seemed very happy in meeting and greeting each other. In this respect alone the Fair was worth a good deal more than it cost. It would be difficult to find a happier or jollier company anywhere than that in attendance on each evening of the Sale. The financial and social success of the affair demonstrated one thing beyond peradventure, and that is, that a church, society, or any other organization can hold a Fair, or give an entertainment, or do anything else of the sort to raise money and make a success of it without resorting to gambling. There were no grab-bags, no post offices, no pious raffling, no cheating, no deceptions in any guise. Goods, fancy wares, flowers, etc., were sold at reasonable prices, and nothing in the proceedings involved chance, luck, or anything of the kind. It was all fair, square, honorable deal throughout, and for everything obtained buyers got the full value for their money. The plan was warmly appreciated by all good, honest men and women, and the experience of the Association last year and this has taught them that gambling has no place in a religious scheme for raising funds; and that as a matter of dollars and cents, let alone the morality of the thing, square, honest deal is the most profitable. This is true in all the business affairs of life, in politics, and we don't see why it should not be in religion. And we trust that the good example set by the Y. M. C. A. will be followed by other societies until cheating under the cloak of piety shall be totally tabooed. Next year we hope the boys will be still more successful with their Fair.

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JOHN G. MAGUIRE, Esq.:

Dear Sir,—I am more annoyed about

Woburn than your people can possibly be,

but the disappointment is not my fault. I

knew nothing of the appointment till

Wednesday, the 1st, long after I had accepted

an invitation for Chicago, March 4. I

had to leave Boston Thursday to reach

Chicago, and on Wednesday when I heard

that I was expected at Woburn, I immediately

saw Mr. Flatley and told him. I supposed

he had notified you and that no disappointment

would ensue. The arrangement was made

without my knowledge as to dates, any more

than I knew that at some time I was to

be in Woburn. I was in Boston a week before

the 23, and in New York the week before that,

and could have put in a night as well as not.

Please explain this to your people and assure them

that nothing would please me more than to speak

for them, which I hope to do when I am

East again.

Very truly,

D. R. LOCKE.

EDITOR JOURNAL:—I am very often

amused to see how earnest some newspaper

editors are in trying to dangle one foot each

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Wednesdays only.

WINCHESTER.

St. Mary's Sunday School are going to give "Red Riding Hood" soon.

The recently elected President of the Young Men's Club is Mr. Henry C. Miller.

Mr. T. P. Ayer is talked of for Water Commissioner to fill the vacancy of I. S. Palmer.

The attack by the mysterious sickness at Mr. J. D. Callahan's are alive with some prospect of ultimate recovery.

The Unitarian pulpit will be occupied next Sunday by Rev. Mr. Russell of the Harvard Divinity School.

A dwelling is being erected on Grove street for Mr. C. W. Bacon. A great many good houses ought to be put up here this spring for they are needed.

The boarders all left the house of Mr. J. D. Callahan where the mysterious sickness broke out last week, and the poor, bereaved family were left in sorry straits.

The Star takes the heavy thwacks of the Woburn Advertiser just as though they were nothing but "love pats." It looks as though fear had something to do with the Star's resignation under the rod of affliction.

It is announced that a wrestling match is to come off in Lyceum Hall next Saturday evening for \$75 a side. J. C. Larock and A. N. Burton are to be the collar-and-elbow contestants.

The W. C. T. U. propose to give their Fair at an early day. I hear that it is to be a capital one. The ladies are as busy as bees getting ready for it, and if I am correctly informed about it the Fair will afford our people a rare chance for merriment and to aid a good cause.

Do you mind that the Star has no good words for Judge Littlefield for the Judge-jury? It is surmised by some that the Star is in favor of Judge Converse of your town. At any rate it is kind of queer that our home organ has nothing to say in favor of our home candidate. Ain't it?

A correspondent makes a statement of the expenditures of our town for 1880 and 1881 in the Star, by which it appears that for 1880 they were \$70,447.88; and for 1881, \$96,209.50, the increase during the year being \$25,761.62. On February 28, 1880, the town's debt was \$216,150.00; and on February 28, 1882, it was \$250,900.00. Why is this thus?

The rendering of "Flower Queen" by the young ladies of this village last week, under the superintendence of Mrs. Bailey was a great success every way. The attendance on both evenings was very gratifying and the large audience were highly pleased with the entertainment. About \$150 was cleared for the benefit of the New England Hospital for Women and Children.

The address by Mr. E. A. Hubbard, under the auspices of "The Fortnightly," on the importance of a supervision of our schools by a Superintendent, was timely, sensible, and well received, though from a lack of proper notice fewer persons heard it than ought. The speaker was gracefully introduced by Mrs. Winsor, President of the Club, and at the close of his talk remarks were made to the point by Mr. Winsor, R. C. Metcalf, and J. T. Wilson.

The board of management of the Winchester High School Association are making arrangements for a grand reunion of the graduates and past members of the High School. At a meeting held Wednesday evening, March 15, committees were appointed and many of the details arranged. The program will include musical and literary exercises, refreshments and dancing. The time and place are not absolutely decided, but will probably be April 21, and Harmony Hall. Some seventy-five graduates and past members of the school have already joined the association. Any graduate wishing to join can do so by sending his name and fifty cents to the treasurer, Mr. George H. Huse, or the secretary, Mr. C. A. Conant; any past member who does the same before March 23 can be elected a member of the association. Tickets to the reunion will be distributed free to members of the association, and in addition each member will have the privilege of buying one ticket—and one only—at the price of fifty cents, for a friend.

Last Monday evening, Sir Knights A. Thompson, C. H. Dunham, G. G. Stratton, F. A. Loring, S. Wilder, H. C. Miller, E. A. Wadleigh, G. P. Brown, J. F. Deinde, B. S. Briggs, M. C. Cook and W. H. Bailey, with their wives, daughters or other female friends attended the eightieth anniversary of Boston Commandery at the Old Fellows building in Boston. There was a large and brilliant gathering of Sir Knights and ladies, and the exercises consisted of music by Carter's Orchestra, a historical address by eminent Commander Sir John L. Stevenson, recitations by Eminent Sir Wyzeman Marshall, Sir George W. Blish and Mrs. G. W. Blish; singing by Mrs. T. M. Carter and Miss Thomas; and whistling solo by Miss Chamberlain. At ten o'clock supper was served in Berkeley hall, after which dancing was engaged in and continued until 2 o'clock in the morning. Sir G. G. Stratton was one of the floor managers during the dancing and with his usual grace performed the duties in an admirable manner. The costumes of the Sir Knights combined with those of the ladies made the assemblage an attractive sight.—Advertiser.

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No matter what disease you may have. Be sure that the medicine you take is reliable. Such a medicine you will always find Sulphur Bitters. They are not a cheap run-down, but are made of the choicest roots and herbs to be found in the vegetable kingdom.—Daily Argus.

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A. CUMMINGS.

BURLINGTON.

TOWN MEETING.—At the town meeting, Monday afternoon, Charles G. Foster, was chosen Moderator, and the following officers were elected: Samuel Sewall, Town Clerk; Samuel Sewall, Henry Nichols, Stephen Carter, Selectmen, Assessors, Highway Surveyors and Overseers of the Poor; Samuel Sewall, Treasurer and Collector of Taxes; Nathan Simonds, S. S. Shedd, Constables; Charles G. Foster, Sealer of Weights and Measures; Charles G. Foster, School Committee for three years; Charles G. Foster, Marshall Wood, John W. Hutchinson, Library Committee. For the support of highways and bridges, and appropriation of \$1,200 was made; for support of the poor, to pay town debts, and for incidental expenses, \$2,000; for the library, \$100; for the support of schools, \$1,100, and for repairs of schoolhouses, \$500. The town voted not to grant licenses, 3 years, 22 days. The subject of women's suffrage was indefinitely postponed.

CONCERT.—Tuesday evening, the lecture course was closed with a very fine concert, given by an Arlington company, under the direction of Mr. Edward B. Fessenden, assisted by Miss Hattie E. Earnest, soprano, and Mr. Charles W. Lee, harmonica soloist. The whole programme was well arranged and executed in an excellent manner. The concert was under the efficient management of Mr. George W. Austin of Arlington, who has had much successful experience in such affairs, and has often aided the church and town in the past.

For the Journal.
The Lenox Library.
At the corner of Seventy-first street and fronting on Fifth Avenue, New York, stands a granite building, fire proof, grand and spacious in its proportions. It is the "Lenox Library." Its founder, Mr. James Lenox, a man of wealth, was in the habit of donating large sums of money to beneficial objects. His most remarkable gift was in March, 1870, when he donated to the trustees of the Lenox Library the plot of ground on which stands the noble structure. The land is valued at six hundred thousand dollars; the building at four hundred and fifty thousand more. The foundation was laid on solid rock, and the edifice is a model of classic taste, and is devoted to literature and art.

The value of the magnificent collection of books and the art gallery, undoubtedly reaches a vast sum. The library was not designed to be a popular collection of books for ordinary readers—its chief value is to students and scholars, who desire to have recourse to ancient books and documents, and who know how to regard the treasures which more curious people might handle too carelessly. A remarkable feature of the Lenox Library is the number of ancient books it contains. Many of these are the whole or portions of the Scriptures. One Bible is valued at sixteen thousand dollars, the marginal notes of which were written by Melancthon's own hand. There are bibles written on the finest vellum, others have illuminated margins in most beautiful and brilliant colors, bound in parchment and gray with age. The Vulgate, the Alexandrian, and Sinaitic Codexes are here. Lovers of antiquarian research will here see some of the first editions of Shakespeare's plays, each play in a separate book as they were first printed; also autographs of John Milton, Dr. Johnson, Oliver Cromwell, Bonaparte 1st, Sir Walter Scott, Sir Joshua Reynolds, Robert Baras, William Cowper, and many others. The collection of books, engravings, and maps, statuary, paintings and other works of art, as they stand, have no equal in this country. "In old Bibles and parts thereof, the collection is said to be superior to that of the British Museum."

The picture gallery contains mostly modern pictures, by foreign and American artists. Though all are undoubtedly fine works of art, the attention is immediately drawn toward a large painting by "Munkacsy," which took the first prize at the Paris Exposition. It is "Milton" dictating "Paradise Lost." The blind poet, with bowed head seated in an arm chair, at a table; near by his daughter sits, before whom lies an open book, with pen in hand she writes the immortal lines, as the words fall from his lips. Other members of the family, with eyes turned toward the remarkable man, seem intently listening. It is difficult to determine which should predominate, gratitude to, or admiration of, the artist who can produce upon canvas so life-like and touching a scene as this.

There are specimens of Bohemian glass and Japanese ware, ivory carvings of delicate workmanship; a small exquisite bit of statuary in alabaster—"Our Saviour blessing little children," by "Thorwaldsen."

This is but a meagre sketch of the curious and rare objects to be seen here by those who desire to spend a few hours in profitable and entertaining sight-seeing while visiting in this city.

"Do Likewise."

Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.—"Five years ago I was a dreadful sufferer from uterine troubles. Having exhausted the skill of three physicians, I was completely discouraged, and so weak I could with difficulty cross the room alone. I began taking your 'Favorite Prescription' and using the local treatment recommended in your 'Common Sense Medical Adviser.' In three months I was perfectly cured. I wrote a letter to my family paper, briefly mentioning how my health had been restored, and offering to send the full particulars to any one writing me for them, and enclosing a stamped envelope for reply. I have received over four hundred letters. In reply, I have described my case and the treatment used, and earnestly advised them to 'do likewise.' From a great many I have received second letters of thanks stating that they had commenced the treatment and were much better already."

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WOBURN AND WALNUT HILL

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The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, MARCH 24, 1882.

THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of S. Horton, 105 Main Street, R. Robie, 154 Main Street, E. F. Carter, Cummingsville, J. P. Tyler, North Woburn, Cooper's News Stand at the Centre Depot, and at G. P. Brown's, Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

A COURT HOUSE.

A Court House must of course be provided for the new District Court. The time is close at hand when one will be needed. A proposition will probably come before the town to utilize the Armory for this purpose. It is proposed to raise that building some five feet; change the main entrance in front to the ground floor; place in the first story the office of the Chief of Police, cells for prisoners, boiler-room, etc.; to build an addition to the rear of the building, and in the second story to have the court-room, armory, and other rooms, etc. The State now pays the Town \$400 a year for the Armory, and the County would probably pay \$500 or \$600 for the court-room, aggregating a respectable income from rents.

This would seem to be a feasible plan for providing a court-house, and at the same time secure more respectable Police Headquarters and jail. The present jail is a barbarous place in which to confine people, and something more decent and humane ought to be provided. As the matter is likely to come up for public consideration we refrain from further comments.

THE CAUCUS.

On Monday evening last a Republican meeting was held in Headquarters to receive the report of the Committee on nominations. It was well attended, and a lively interest in the proceedings was manifested. The report was not accepted, but instead, the Committee were given more latitude in making selections of candidates, and additional time in which to do their work. A somewhat different line of action from that at first adopted was advocated and agreed to, and instead of being tied down to strict party nominations it is left to the pleasure of the Committee to select their candidates from wherever they may see fit. The effect of this change can better be determined after the vote is counted on the evening of the 3d of April. The weight of opinion is it will work well. We hope it will.

STAR ROUTE CASES.

If anything comes of the star route prosecutions the country will be most agreeably disappointed. Few people who have noted the progress of these cases believe the government have any intention of executing their threats against the thieves, and the character of the counsel employed strengthens the belief that the whole gang of swindlers will ultimately get off scot free.

DISTRICT COURT.

Last week the Legislative Committee reported favorably on the petition for a Woburn District Court. It is to be established at Woburn, on the first day of July next, with a Judge and Clerk, and to have \$1,200 per annum, and the latter \$800. The report will soon be enacted into law, we suppose.

Thanks to Mr. John Hanscom, we are in receipt of copies of his new Democratic paper, *The Maine Sentinel*, just established at Biddeford. It makes a very neat appearance, and is edited with skill and ability. Mr. Hanscom is a veteran journalist, and handles a ready quill.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

Hugh Stewart—Mortgagee's Sale. First National Bank—Statement. Dr. Miller—Lecture. S. M. Pettengill & Co.—George Wilkes, Jr. Everett & Zerrah—Hovey & Co. A. A. Clement—To Let. Woburn—Warrant for Town Meeting. John Brainer—For Sale. Frank Pierce—Closing out. Sumner Richardson—Auction Sale.

—And now the candidate's polite season. —There are indications of a boom in building this spring. —The roads have been in excellent order for travel for some time.

—Woburn contributed two quiet "clues" to the Bell murder case. —Margaret Flaherty assault and battery on Thos. O'Brien, 913 and costs.

—On Monday last Mrs. McMurray fell down stairs and broke her right hip. —The Y. M. C. A. Fair yielded a net income of \$500. That was doing first rate.

—The bail of Henry Ferrin was fixed by the court at \$3000. He has not yet obtained bondsmen. —Many men predict early planting this spring. But it is safe to wait awhile and see how it looks.

—If we don't get the new court house and court soon police business will all run to seed here. —There was quite a flit of snow on Tuesday, but it went rapidly under the rays of Wednesday's sun.

—Union religious services will be held on Fast Day in the Unitarian church, and Rev. Mr. Young will preach the Fast Day sermon. —Voters should see to it that their names are properly registered. The meetings of the Board of Registry were published in the JOURNAL last week.

—A subscription paper is in circulation to obtain funds to purchase a portrait of the late Mr. George M. Champney, Librarian, for the Public Library.

—The Young Republican Club will hold a meeting this evening at the Republican Headquarters. We shouldn't wonder a mile if it was considerable of a circus.

—An infant child of J. T. Sargent, of Nashua, N. H., died on Sunday morning last under such circumstances that the Police called the medical examiner, who pronounced it "natural causes." The parents were visiting a family on Canal Street.

—Dr. Dodge has fine assortment of Easter Cards. —Read Mr. A. A. Clement's "To Let" in this paper.

—It won't be long before poor folks can eat eggs if the price keeps on falling. —The very nice and handy lunch-table of Mr. Estabrook, the baker, is well patronized.

—The proprietor of Hammond's Clothing Store is in New York this week buying goods. —Mr. George Kimball is building a large house for Mr. James H. Graydon on Auburn Street.

—In deference to the lenten season amusements have about come to an end for the present. —The ground froze pretty solid on Wednesday night. This is March weather with a vengeance.

—It will be seen that, on last May, Woburn wanted only 547 inhabitants to entitle her to a city charter. —Mr. Benjamin Hinckley of Academy Hill has started, or is about to start, for a week's absence from home.

—The annual meeting of the Ramford Historical Association will be held at the Ramford House next Monday evening. —Tom Hood, the Younger says: "Mr. Applebee is the best interpreter of my father's poetry." "Tom Hood" next Monday evening.

—An intelligent correspondent says that those who absent themselves from Mr. Applebee's lectures are missing a great deal, and we agree with him. —The very latest news from Mr. Pickering is as favorable as could be asked for. Yesterday evening he was reported as out of danger and on the mend.

—The inspection of Co. G, 5th Reg't, will take place in the Lyceum Hall on April 4 at 7.30 o'clock p. m. Capt. will please accept thanks for press courtesies. —The jury in the case of Henry Ferrin having disagreed, a new trial will not take place until June. It is reported that one of the jurors was well acquainted with Ferrin's family.

—It is no unusual thing for cliques in the Democratic party of Woburn to burn midnight oil in secret conclaves about these days. Like Joey Bagstock, they are "devilish sly." —A proposition is on foot for the town to purchase Warren Academy and take it for a High School building. In case it is carried out the present High School building will be put to other school purposes.

—We have an idea that there will be a good many surprise parties when the vote is counted on the evening of April 3 down there at the hall. Quite a good many will wonder whose mule kicked them. —Mr. Breed, a large shoe manufacturer, in Lynn, talks strongly of establishing a factory in this village. If so, he will employ about 300 hands. It is to be hoped that he will conclude to come here.

—Will the person who took a silk umbrella, probably by mistake, from the vestry of the Unitarian Church, on Thursday evening two weeks ago, leave the same at C. C. Shaw's, on Court Street, and oblige the owner? —Gracious! Last Friday 88 adult males of this town went to Boston and were naturalized in the United States Court. And the worst of it is, we hear that this is "only a few drops before a more plentiful shower."

—Although Town Meeting is to be held in a couple of weeks from next Monday there isn't much excitement over it. There seems to be a general desire all around to get good men for the offices, and to elect a business Board. —S. M. Sayford, State Secretary of the Y. M. C. A., who is laboring very successfully in Haverhill, has made arrangements with the Y. M. C. A. to hold meetings in town commencing on Fast Day, April 6th, continuing one week.

—The Republican caucus for the nomination of Town officers will be held on Saturday evening before the election. This plan of keeping the ticket ball until the last hour so that the Democrats can't get hold of it is a good one. —On application of Capt. C. W. Converse, Special orders, No. 34, from Adj't Gen. office directs him to drop from his rolls Private Robert L. Austin and Fred Dockham, as deserters, they having been absent from drills for three months.

CARD.—At a special meeting of the Y. M. C. A. it was unanimously voted to tender their heartfelt thanks to all the committees and other friends who so generously and pleasantly assisted them in their very successful fair. J. K. MURDOCK, Pres.

—The attendance on the second lecture by Mr. Applebee in the W. H. S. G. A. course, on Monday evening, was considerably larger than at the first one. The lecture was excellent, and very much enjoyed by the audience. The success of the course is abundantly assured.

—The Nation's picture of James A. Garfield and family, by J. H. Buford's Sons under the direction of Mrs. Garfield. Extract from her letter: "The best picture by far that has been made." An exceedingly fine picture, a souvenir for every home, at the very low price of one dollar.

—Miss Pollard, Assistant Librarian, enumerates among the new books received last week, "Life and Speeches of John Bright," Morley's "Richard Cobden," an interesting work on the "Fiji Islands," Rawlinson's "Ancient Egypt," books on the "Life and Times of President Garfield," and the latest publications in fiction.

—The following important information a specially-employed agent of the JOURNAL has succeeded in obtaining at a great outlay of time and trouble: Easter Day falls on April 9 this year: it fell on April 9 in 1871. It will not, however, fall on that day again, after the present year, till 1944. In 1886 it will fall on April 25, its latest possible date. This will be the first time it has occurred since the introduction of the new style in 1752. It will then not occur again on April 22 until after an interval of fifty-seven years, or in 1943; and then not again for 163 years.

—Horton has April magazines in great profusion. His counters are well loaded with fresh literature. —John L. Munroe & Co., keep for sale a full supply of Bradley's Super-Phosphate, and an excellent article it is too.

—Several Massachusetts cities have a less number of polls than Woburn, among them Haverhill, Lawrence, and others. —For some reason or other bicycles are not so numerous as they were last Spring. But it may be a little early for them yet.

—The Warrant for Town Meeting, as will be observed, is a very lengthy affair. It ought to be carefully read by the voters. —Several of our people have been to the City to see and go over the big ocean steamer the City of Berlin. Generally they approved of her.

—Mr. Mark Allen, printer and gentleman, has the Town Reports about completed. We are looking for a fine job, for that is the kind he does. —Clerk R. B. had a very serious time with his vaccinated arm last week, Monday being his first appearance on the streets for several days.

—Woburn has one horse to every sixteen inhabitants; one cow to every 27-28, and one sheep to every 3,114. This isn't much of a sheep town. —We have received a good letter from "W." in reply to the *Advertiser's* editorial on the license question which has been filed for next week.

—The attempt of the Lynn correspondent of the Boston Herald to make Woburn one of the residences of poor Harriet Bell was unsuccessful. —Notwithstanding the attempts of several people to rob Rector Winkley of the credit of seeing the first robin this spring, our award stands good.

—Please read what Mr. John Brauer has to say respecting his pleasant home on Eastern Avenue. He is anxious to move south and will sell cheap. —The dramatic entertainments given on St. Patrick's by the Celtics and other societies were liberally patronized and very successfully carried out.

—The readers of this paper are respectfully referred to an array of figures in another column for information respecting the finances of the town for 1881. —So far as we have been able to learn it is not settled yet whether the prohibitionists will nominate and support a ticket at the approaching election or not. It is probable however that they will.

—A prominent citizen of wealth said to us the other day that he would give \$200 towards a park to be located as indicated in our last week's issue, and more if necessary. Which we call generous. —Mr. Catter, our new Librarian, has moved into the Kimball house at Central Square. His father-in-law, Mr. Kimball, returns from Lexington with him. It is an exceedingly pleasant abode.

—The child of Mr. Storey of Montvale Avenue, which has attracted so many sight-seers, died last Sunday. Hundreds visited the Storey home to see the tiniest bit of humanity ever born in Woburn. —The Boston Clothing Company, John C. Buck, Manager, prints an interesting statement in this paper to-day. Purchasers of clothing, hats, caps, furnishings goods, etc., should give it a careful perusal.

—The Young People's Union of the Unitarian Society, a young, smart and prosperous organization, gave a very fine entertainment last evening, the particulars of which we have no space for. It was a good one. —We call the careful attention of our readers to the interesting advertisement of W. H. Hervey & Co. in another column. All in need of house keeping goods should be sure and see them before purchasing.

—Last Saturday surgeons at the Massachusetts General Hospital amputated the crushed leg of Mr. Rufus Pickering below the knee, and at last accounts he was low but his recovery was considered very certain. —It is maintained by the knowing ones that the "regular" Democracy of this town will be the sorest lot of mortals on the morning of April 4th that ever laid outdoors. A very severe political trouncing is in store for their backs.

—In furnishing a full supply of Easter Cards Mr. W. W. Hill, druggist, shows his usual promptness and enterprise. There is a very fine display of cards in his windows, and the low prices at which he sells the exquisite works of art are truly marvellous. —Woburn Worker's Mission Circle will give an entertainment, consisting of music, recitation and dialogue, at the vestry of the Congregational church, Tuesday evening, April 4, commencing at 7.30. All friends of children and the work will do well to attend.

—To accommodate the Woburn Democracy Gov. Long ought to have fixed on the 5th of April for Fast Day, instead of the 6th, for on the 3d they will vote, the 4th will be spent in swearing over their defeat, and by the 5th they will feel a good deal like fasting. —A crayon portrait of Mr. Alva Wood of the long-time Woburn station agent of B. & C. R. R., seen in Smith's show window, is a very fine piece of work. It was done for Mr. Wood by Mr. Rosenquist, is not only a perfect likeness, but as admirable as a work of art.

—The select assembly given on Wednesday evening last in the Hall of the Highgate House company by a number of young gentlemen of this town was as merry a party ever graced the floor of a dance hall. The music, party, and everything concerned was indeed select, yet nevertheless not too reserved. It was a grand success in every particular. —The Y. M. C. A. rooms were nearly filled to overflowing last Sunday afternoon at the 4 o'clock meeting. These meetings are increasing in interest every week. An hour Sunday afternoon cannot be spent more profitably. The Association are arranging for additional room for their business and meetings, and when everything is completed they will have as commodious and pleasant headquarters as can be found anywhere.

—Curtis of the famous Bazaar has the largest and best filled card album in town. —The theme of Prof. Applebee in the W. H. S. G. A. course will be "Thomas Hood." It will be given on Monday evening, March 27. It is needless to say it will be interesting. —There have been numerous brilliant exhibitions of Northern Lights of late, and after each display, in conformity to the old rule, changes of weather have occurred, sooner or later.

—Mr. Thomas Salmon will probably be nominated for a seat on the Board of Selectmen, and if so he will be elected. Else there is no dependence to be placed in the signs of the times. —We can recommend Mr. R. S. Spaulding as one of the most prompt and careful expressmen in town. He recently did a job for the JOURNAL office in a workmanlike manner. He is a Down Easter, too.

—Some steps are being taken looking to an improvement in our police accommodations. Also, in connection therewith, to furnishing a courthouse for the new District Court. The JOURNAL has said a good many times that our police accommodations were not what they ought to be, and the time has come when something ought to be done about it. —We should esteem it a favor if our social, religious, civil, military, benevolent and other societies would furnish items respecting their doings for publication. Many things are constantly transpiring among these societies which would be interesting to the public that a reporter fails to get hold of, and hence we make this request—respectfully of course.

—To-morrow afternoon will be the last opportunity to hear and see Adelina Patti at the Mechanic's building, Boston, and we suspect it will be improved by a large number of our people. Thousands have attended the two operas already given, and this is Patti's last appearance in Boston, doubtless the attendance to-morrow afternoon will be immense. —Mr. Frank Pierce announces an important closing-out sale in this paper to which attention is called. The prices named by him are away down below hard pan, and as two weeks only are given in which to secure these great bargains there will probably be a pretty big rush at Pierce's in the next few days. At the close of this sale a splendid spring stock will be opened.

—We call especial attention to the card of Dr. Miller in this paper. The course of lectures he proposes to give will be in the highest degree interesting and instructive, and every way worthy of patronage. Dr. Hanford of Reading sends us a highly flattering testimonial of Dr. Miller's ability and the great value of his lectures, which we would like to make room for, but can't. The Doctor ought to be greeted with full houses each evening.

—Something of a pressure is being brought to bear on Mr. Frankfort Trull to induce him to reconsider his determination not to stand for re-election to the Board of Selectmen, but without effect, for his business in the city, with home and social duties, will not admit of his taking the office again. If so be the town is doomed to another year of Democratic rule, we should be very glad to see Mr. Trull one of the rulers, for he is a good, square-edged man.

—In his last "letter" in the N. Y. *Observer*, writing about the literary productions of de Tremaux of old, "Trenaux" says concerning them and a former resident of Woburn: "His huge folios have been in our family for the last five generations, and, unless they get caught in a fire, will probably endure for as many more. They were in my great-grandfather's library when the British and Tory troops under the lead of Col. Thompson, afterwards Count Rumford, inventor of the Electric Leyden jar, broke into it, and with vandalism disgraced to a philosopher, tore many of the books to pieces; but, happily, spared the old folios that now keep me company while I write."

—On last Monday evening the Republican Committee of Fifteen made their report to the caucus as follows: For Town Clerk—Charles H. Buss; Treasurer—G. R. Gage; Selectmen—E. D. Hayden, Griffin Place, L. G. Richardson, E. O. Cummings, A. S. Hayward, John S. True, W. R. Putnam, G. F. Jones, W. F. Davis; School Committee—John Cummings, Rev. Daniel March, D. D. John Warren Johnson; Water Commissioner—M. M. Tidd; Library Committee for five years—Nathan Wyman; Collector—Edward Symonds. It is proper to state that Committee felt the embarrassment of being restricted in their report to party nominations and so stated to the caucus. The report however was not accepted, but in lieu thereof of additional time and discretionary powers were given to the Committee, who will make a final report on Saturday evening, March 25.

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MR. F. H. LEWIS

Is now prepared to receive additional pupils for lessons in Music. The price of Tuition for the remainder of the present season ending June 24, and commencing next week, will be One lesson per week \$26. Two lessons per week \$39. (Payable in advance.) WOBURN, March 24, 1882.

PIANO-FORTE AND HARMONY INSTRUCTION.

MISS MERTENA L. BANCROFT,

Residence, Franklin St., Woburn. 36-39

TOWN REPORT.

The following figures taken from the Auditor's Report show the receipts and expenditures, taxes, valuations etc., and financial standing of Woburn at the close of the fiscal year of 1881:

STATEMENT OF TAXES, 1881.	
Total amount of Real Estate,	\$5,831,787 00
Total amount of Personal Property,	2,422,000 00
Whole number of Polls, 3,141.	
Total amount of Rateable,	\$8,253,887 00
Taxes on 3,140 Polls at \$2.60,	\$8,253 80
Taxes on 2 Polls at .20,	1 00
Taxes on \$2,538,887 at \$2.50 per M, including County Tax,	123,808 24
Gain in making taxes,	8 50
Taxes collected including County Tax of \$2,500.00,	\$107,080 40
Taxes added,	925 20
Taxes uncollected,	21,499 00
	\$130,095 82
Amount of rateable property in 1880,	\$8,253,887 00
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Net loss,	\$4,150 80
Loss on Real Estate,	\$4,150 80
Gain on Personal Property,	41,045 00
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Number of Inhabitants,	11,453
School Children,	2,768
Acres of Land,	7,085
Dwellings, Houses,	1,704
Cows,	718
Sheep,	415
Town Debt,	\$248,000 27
Available Assets,	\$45,769 76
Water Bonded Debt,	\$486,300 00
Sinking Fund Investment,	70,006 84
Net Debt,	\$887,002 67

DEPARTMENTS.

The receipts and expenditures of each department are given below:

	Paid.	Received.
Alms-house,	\$4,003 95	\$4,004 30
Alms-house and Over-layings,	1,715 56	2,731 87
Cemetery,	1,080 90	1,080 90
Cemetery Lots (special care of),	5 00	300 00
Drainage of Main St. and Town Meadow,	300 00	300 00
Fire Alarm Telegraph,	3,000 00	3,000 00
Fire Department,	10,200 31	10,204 05
Gravel Lots,	301 88	925 70
Hook & Ladder House,	2,513 39	2,512 95
Hydrant Service,	6,700 00	6,700 00
Health,	341 27	341 27
Highways,	2,508 11	2,508 80
Inst. on Town Debt,	10,958 24	11,418 93
Inst. on Water Bonds,	20,741 00	20,741 00
Inst. on schoolhouse loan,	2,800 00	2,800 00
Land for Clinton house,	28 00	28 00
Memorial Day,	274 65	28 00
Macadamizing Main street,	2,500 00	2,500 00
Miscellaneous,	15,649 33	15,015 84
New Roads,	2,000 80	2,020 91
Outside Relief,	4,411 90	4,412 00
Pub. Library (Winn bequest),	2,186 87	2,186 87
Printing,	1,013 60	1,012 00
Recreation,	2,513 39	2,512 95
Repairs of Sts. on M. V. R. R.,	350 00	350 00
Real Estate held for sale,	2,471 02	97 00
School teaching and care of rooms,	23,322 45	23,323 24
School Incidental,	4,003 95	4,003 95
Street Lights,	8,113 28	3,560 00
Stone Crusher and Engine,	2,489 37	2,000 00
State Aid,	7,489 37	7,489 37
State Tax,	7,125 00	7,125 00
Shocking Fund,	2,513 39	2,512 95
" of 1879,	1,907 50	1,907 50
" of 1880,	1,602 50	1,602 50
" of 1881,	1,800 00	1,800 00
Tabulated statement of taxes,	48 25	122 00
Town Officers,	1,000 00	4,000 00
Text Book,	2,047 28	2,047 24
Trust Fund, Water Loan	67,712 00	80,715 84
Trust Fund, Cemetery,	323 91	29,927 44
Trust Fund, Public Library	6,334 37	6,148 43
(Winn bequest),	300 00	6,300 00
Trust Fund, Public Library	25,316 00	27,626 63
Water Works Expense,	2,124 89	2,039 70
Water Works Construction,	10,851 80	349,214 07
Temporary Loans,	70,207 50	26,487 23
L. Thompson, Jr., Treasurer, balance,	\$2,502 15	

OTHER STATISTICS.

Number of births, 324. Males, 163. Females, 161. " marriages, 167. " deaths, 106. Males, 97. Females, 97. " dogs licensed, 475. Revenue, \$367.00. No. of votes taken from Library during year, 60,285. " pamphlets in Library, 4,001. " scholars between 8 and 15, 1,169. " scholars in attendance, 2,369. " scholars average, 1,777. " teachers, 47. " Bess, 37. Damage by fires, \$74,257.30. Insurance, \$71,250.

MONTVALE.

The prospect for a very large attendance on the opera to be given in Mission Chapel on the evenings of April 5 and 6 is flattering. It will be a fine thing.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

THE DUTY OF REPUBLICANS.

Tomorrow evening the Republican Committee of Fifteen will report to the general caucus. Their report, we suppose, will embrace the names of candidates for all the offices to be filled on next Monday. The list will be subject to revision by the caucus, but it is not probable that much, if any, change will be made in it.

The JOURNAL has entire confidence in the ability and disposition of the Committee to give the voters a set of candidates who will command the respect, confidence and support of a majority of them—that every man can vote for and feel that he is doing the right thing for the town. We know that the Committee have been faithful to the trust reposed in them in striving to get the soundest material with which to fill the offices, and in casting about for men have laid one side all personal preferences and prejudices and aimed to select those only whose election would best serve the interests of the people.

When the ticket is made up and adopted by the caucus it will be the duty of all Republicans to support it—to work for it and vote for it. It is not to be expected that the list of candidates will accord exactly with every man's ideas and tastes. A ticket was never arranged that suited everybody. That is not expected. But sacrifices of feeling must be made for the general good, and we trust that every Republican in Woburn will cordially endorse the action of the caucus tomorrow night and heartily support the nominees, even though there may be some among them who would not have been their first choice.

If the Republicans will adopt this course and work shoulder to shoulder, as it will be their duty to do, they will stand more than an even chance for winning at the polls next Monday.

DEATH OF THE POET LONGFELLOW.

Last Friday afternoon Henry W. Longfellow, the Poet, died at his residence in Cambridge surrounded by his family and friends. His health had not been good for a year or two, but his last illness was brief and attended with but little pain.

Longfellow was born in Portland, Maine, on the 27th of February, 1807; graduated at Bowdoin College; and not long after was appointed a Professor in Harvard University, where he remained for several years, but finally retired from the chair in order to give his time more fully to literary work. Before entering on his duties at Harvard he travelled extensively in Europe and devoted several years there to the study of foreign languages.

Longfellow was one of the very few great poets this country has produced. His fame and the love of him and his poetry were not confined to America. For many years his name has been familiar to the educated of foreign lands and his works are read in the principal European languages.

Not only was Longfellow a great and true poet, divinely gifted and highly cultivated, but he was a man of pure character; kind, gentle and lovely in disposition; and a true friend always. His death will be deeply lamented; the whole world will miss him; but by none will the loss be more sincerely mourned than by his family, his neighbors, and those who knew him best.

THE YOUNG REPUBLICANS.

Immediately after the adjournment of the general caucus tomorrow evening the young Republicans will hold a meeting to consider and act on the ticket nominated. We are not advised as to the course they are likely to pursue, but it is fair to presume that they will accept the Republican names presented by the general caucus, and perhaps go the length of adopting the entire list. This is said supposing that the ticket will be a mixed one, as we judge from outside talk, may be the case.

Whatever they may do at this meeting we feel quite certain that no measures opposed to the well-being of the party will be sanctioned or anything done that may have a tendency to jeopardize its success at the polls. They don't mean that by separate action, but to devise plans to make themselves more efficient and helpful as auxiliaries and to bring their whole strength to bear where it will do the most good.

This is all very proper, and we look for good results from their meeting.

PREJUDICE.

The Medford Mercury takes the JOURNAL to task for suggesting that, in restricting the State, the Republicans take all that rightfully belongs to them. The strong leaning of the Mercury towards the Democratic side of the house disqualifies it for the office of judge in the premises. Sympathy for the Democracy warps its judgment and impairs its mental vision to such an extent that it cannot be fair and impartial. It is observed too that the Malden Press is suffering with an attack of the same disease that the Mercury is wrestling with. Deprive these "independent" papers of the privilege of abusing Republicans and the balance of their working capital wouldn't amount to much.

KEEPS A DOG.

What is the proportion of sheep owners to dog owners in Boston? We know of one town where 500 dogs are taxed and only three sheep are kept, but one of our wise legislative committees thinks the dog owners have no rights which petty thieves are bound to respect.—Boston Herald.

It would be perfectly safe to bet a dollar that the writer of the above keeps a dog. It is equally clear that he don't keep a sheep.

WELL, WHAT OF IT?

The WOBURN JOURNAL says of the star route: "Few people who have noted the progress of the cases believe the government has any intention of executing its threats against the thieves." The JOURNAL is the organ of the Republican party in a town where its partisans think none but Republicans fit for school committee, street sweepers, selectmen, or any other office of trust and honor.—Boston Herald.

If there is any connection between the first and last parts of the above item we should be glad to have somebody point it out to us.

FOR MR. BOWMAN.

The last issue of the Charlestown News contained several complimentary words for Congressman Bowman. No more than that gentleman deserves, though. And, by the way, if Mr. Bowman is the man they say he is why are the politicians of this District so mortally afraid of him? There must be considerable of him to keep them in a chronic state of tremor, as he does.

WOBURN MINUTE-MEN.

Anything that relates to the origin of the minute-companies at the beginning of the Revolutionary War is interesting, and also valuable, because the formation of many of them is involved in obscurity. We are happy to say that this is not the case in Woburn. On an old document in Woburn Library, is the following record of a meeting of a military company—apparently minute-men—at a date even earlier than that assigned for their formation in the published history of the town, namely, April 17, 1775. The record is as follows:

"Woburn, Jan. 4, 1775. At a meeting of the volunteer company, or society, on January the 4th, 1775, at the house of James Fowle, Esq., did pass the following votes, viz: 1. Chose a moderator, namely—Isaac Johnson. 2. Chose a clerk, namely—James Fowle. 3. Voted not to join any officers as minute-men, or picked men, excepting such officers as shall be chosen in said company or society. 4. Voted to show arms once a month according to law. 5. Voted not to have anything to do with any other company, in order to fix up the town house, so called, for a house to exercise in."

The vote of the town on April 17, 1775—two days before Lexington Battle—may be considered as a formal adoption of this previous organization, and as appropriating a premium for the valuable services the minute-men might render, and did render, on a momentous occasion.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.
B. E. Bond—Citation.
N. Carver—"Sure Cure."
Five Cent Savings Bank—Entertainment.
Alexander Beal—Mortgagee's Sale.
C. A. Smith & Son—Opening.
Mrs. A. C. Stevens—Crocheters Wanted.
Mrs. Teare—To Let.

Mr. Burgess makes quite an interesting talk in his card.

One of the mottoes of the Democratic party of Woburn is, "No Yankees need apply."

Mr. F. H. Lewis is a very successful and popular music teacher. Please read his card.

A Democratic committee are incubating. The brood will come out next Monday morning.

The "cream" bread made by Estabrook is delicious and very popular with good housewives.

The Shakespeare Club Class closes this evening with analyses of the plays of Macbeth and Hamlet.

Reference is here made to the change in the card of Hammond's Clothing Store. It tells the whole story.

The report of the Selectmen recommends, to defray the expenses of the current year, \$147,000 plus.

Republicans who want to see a good town ticket elected next Monday will not fail to attend the caucus tomorrow night.

Miss Fannie J. Healey, who has been visiting friends here in town, returned to her home in New London, Conn., last week Friday.

Mr. Fred. Leeds has had some improvements and fixings-up applied to his drug store lately, which make it one of the pleasantest in the burg.

In our note on "Waterfield" last week the date 1542 should read 1642—the year Woburn was incorporated as a town. And in another place the name is spelled Waterford instead of Waterfield.

The young Republicans will hold a conference and caucus immediately after the close of the general caucus on Saturday evening. There ought to be a full attendance, and likely will be.

We congratulate Mr. C. Frank Kelley of this town on his appointment to an important position in the Boston Postoffice. Surely, his lines have fallen in pleasant places, and profitable ones too.

On last Monday evening the Grattan Literary Association elected the following officers: President—Martin J. Walsh; 1st Vice ditto—Edward T. O'Neil; 2nd ditto—John A. Walsh; Recording Secretary—Edward F. Cassidy; Financial Secretary—Thomas E. Mathews; Treasurer—Alex. McDonald; Trustees—John C. Mehan, James W. Downey, Francis P. Curran.

We find in the printed reports that the town paid \$30.94 for "groceries" for consumption by the Board of Selectmen last year. Also, that \$177.86 was paid to Mr. Sparrow Horton for "periodicals" for the use and behoof of the same body. If these items are not misprints we should like to be enlightened as to what they mean. Were the members addicted to their cups, the "groceries" charge might be accounted for; but what business a Democratic Board had with five monthly magazine apiece during the year is a puzzle.

The service of praise in the Congregational vestry last Sunday evening was excellent. There was an immense congregation present. The orchestra, under the direction of Dr. Lang, was a splendid accompaniment to the vocal execution of the sweet and familiar Gospel Hymns by all the people present. The lecture of Dr. March was in harmony with the devotional feeling excited by the charming music. It was full of practical, every-day piety, with like Christ for a theme, and calculated to make men better, cleaner and happier.

— Munroe's show windows make a very attractive appearance.

— Plenty of robins about and they are very chipper. This means spring.

— The Police will have to shed their uniforms soon if this weather holds on.

— The Gymnasium list at Leeds's Drug Store shows a long roll of signatures. It is a good idea.

— The roads are in good condition, and we sincerely hope they will remain so the rest of the spring.

— Mr. J. W. Hammond has more hats of different kinds than two boys could shake a stick at in a month of Sundays.

— Somebody will have to sit up nights if the tickets for Town Meeting are supplied in season on Monday morning.

— Whether the frost is all out of the ground or not depends altogether on which man you believe and which you don't.

— The Boston Globe's new plan for completing the M. V. R. R. by the B. & C. R. R. Co., didn't pan out worth a cent.

— The advertised meeting of the Ramford Historical Association was not held last Monday evening, but will be next Tuesday evening.

— We hear that Mr. Hudson will build several fine houses on Canal street this season. Only first-class houses should go up on that beautiful street.

— The inspection of Co. G, 5th Regt., M. V. Co.—the Woburn Mechanic Phalanx—will take place in Lyceum Hall on Tuesday evening next at 7.30 of the clock.

— Mr. J. W. Hammond is making improvements in his store which add to its pleasantness a good deal. It is a prime store and filled with the very best of goods.

— Some of the young men interested in baseball may be pleased to learn that there is a match game in progress to be played between Woburn and Winchester nines on the afternoon of Fast Day.

— Mr. Munroe, the clothier and dealer in gent's goods, has a new card in this paper which purchasers of spring wares will find of interest. We have looked over his new stock and find it all the way through.

— On the fourth Thursday evening in next month comes off the opera at the Unitarian church of which Mr. F. H. Lewis has the musical management, and Mrs. Clough-Pine is to be a prominent character.

— Our advice to every citizen of Woburn of a literary cast of character is: be sure and attend Mr. Applebee's lecture next Monday evening. The subject of it will be "John Bunyan," a theme of supreme interest to everybody.

— A transcript of a part of the Cemetery account for the year past shows the following items of receipts: Cash received from owners of lots for regaining and material, \$200; for care of lots for the season, \$152.65; for Hay, \$38.50; for Wood, \$35.

— The JOURNAL said last week that Mr. Salmon would be elected if nominated for one of the Selectmen. An intelligent printer, who knew what the writer meant better than he did himself, chopped off about half of the item, which changed its meaning materially.

— A gentleman something the worse for drink broke a window in Police Headquarters Wednesday afternoon and undertook to leave the room and officers through it. Officer Walsh entered the room just in season to save the fellow from a broken neck or smashed brains.

— Next Thursday, April 6, we are to have the great success of Muldoon Picnic, a comedy that has been popular all over the country. Every one should be present and have a good laugh. From the N. Y. Times: "This (Muldoon's) Picnic is undoubtedly the funniest play ever produced in this city."

— The Muldoon Picnic Combination afford an evening of unalloyed amusement." We suspect Lyceum Hall will be crowded.

— The two factions in the Democratic party here are at swords points so to speak and growing more so every day. The Maguire faction are largely in the majority and are carrying on with a high hand. The Yankees "must go." Those who voted against Mr. Maguire for Representative last fall are to be punished. He is a shrewd, sharp, intelligent leader; the Irish regard him in the light of a patron saint, and the Yankees "must go."

— Mr. S. R. Niles, the well known Advertising Agent, whose opinions respecting the business of advertising is entitled to the highest respect, says: "Newspapers taken by purchasing people are the best advertising mediums." By "purchasing people" Mr. Niles means just such people as fill the subscription lists of the WOBURN JOURNAL—intelligent, wealthy and in all things, respectable people. The character of its patrons, as well as their number, is what makes the JOURNAL so valuable as an advertising medium.

— At Vesper Service next Sunday evening in the Unitarian church, the following musical selections will be rendered:
1. Organ Voluntary.
2. Anthem. Solos, Duets and Quartets. Rockwell.
3. Solo. Palm Trees.
4. Organ Improvisation. Theme from Donizetti.
5. Response.
6. Solo.
7. Solo.
8. Organ Postlude.

— Mr. Sewall will please accept our thanks for a copy of the Town Reports of Burlington.

— The Maguire faction of the Democratic party in this place carried things with a high hand at the caucus last Wednesday evening. A genuine Maguire nominating committee of fifteen was chosen who will report at the polls on Monday morning. That committee, as are the Maguire faction, is solid against Skinner and Ham who will be thrown overboard as was Mr. John I. Munroe last year because he refused to cater to the dominant element of the party. The motto of the leaders of the Woburn Democracy is: "No Yankees need apply." The Irish have power in their own hands and are bringing forth from the grindstone in good shape. Well, if such gentlemen as James Skinner, A. G. Ham, Munroe and others like thumb-screws let them wear thumb-screws and suffer.

— One addition each to the medical and tonorial profession this week.

— Chief Conn reports to this office several drunks and assaults with a few days.

— Hon. A. E. Thompson presided at the Democratic caucus last Wednesday evening.

— C. A. Smith & Son will offer a few desirable summer silks at their opening next week.

— The name of every Republican in town who is a legal voter should be properly registered.

— "Old Mill" has been struggling with lumbago for a week past and is at present hauled up for repairs.

— Water taxes next week—aye, this week to be sure. What is that old saw about "death and taxes?"

— Pin Head and Invisible checked dress goods are to be very stylish this season. You find them at C. A. Smith & Sons.

— Mr. Mark Allen has been engaged to play the part of Picard in the Orphan of Geneva in the Lawrence Opera House on Fast-day evening.

— The one dollar kid gloves in spring shades and black which C. A. Smith & Son are selling, can be bought with perfect confidence. C. A. Smith will warrant them.

— It is surmised by some that the appropriation recommended for finishing the macadamizing of Main street will not be voted at Town Meeting. That is what some of them think.

— If there are any baseball clubs in Woburn they have announced no programme for Fast Day, though we believe there is a football game in preparation to be played that day.

— Isnt it about time that the business men were coming along with their advertising with which to fill the papers checkbook? The editors and their families are brought to very short commons, and something must be done.

— A fire at Walnut Hill at 11 o'clock on Wednesday evening destroyed a small building used as a saw factory belonging to Fowle Bros. It was insured by Conn's Agency here in the Pennsylvania Fire Ins. Co., as follows: Building, \$200; machinery, \$100; stock, \$200.

— We don't make much difference whether Mr. Ed. Simonds is nominated by either party for Collector, he'll be elected all the same. When it comes right down to voting on Town Meeting day he can give both parties odds and then distance them.

— The Committee of Fifteen have moved slowly, but it will be found on tomorrow evening that their work will be all the better and more acceptable on that account. Their report will leave but little to be desired by any good, true Republican. The nominating job will be well done.

— It may have been noticed by the firemen who were participants in the dance given by the "Hookies" on last Wednesday night that the alarm of fire happened to be rung in as they were about to form for the first quadrille after intermission entitled, "Our next Blaze." Quite a coincidence.

— It is intimated that the Committee of Fifteen will fetch in the names of nine straight Republicans for candidates for Selectmen, with L. Thompson for Treasurer, Mr. Seely for Town Clerk, and Mr. Ed. Simonds for Collector. There couldn't be anything better, and the ticket would win by a large majority.

— The lecture given by Mr. Applebee in the W. H. S. G. A. course last Monday evening was more highly prized and enjoyed than either of its predecessors. It was capital. The next and concluding lecture will be given on next Monday evening April 3. Mr. Applebee has chosen "John Bunyan" as his theme, and that he will make it an exceedingly interesting one admits of no doubt.

— On Monday evening of this week, an election of officers took place in the Quaker Court, No. 32, M. C. O. F., resulting as follows:—C. R., Frank E. Tracy; V. C. R., John Maguire; R. S., James McMahon; F. S., Thomas D. Hevey; Treasurer, David Fitzpatrick; S. C., Daniel McLeelan; J. C., Patrick Daley; L. S., William O'Brien; P. C., James McMahon; Trustees, P. E. Tenney, T. F. McCormick, Wm. Downey; Doctor, James H. Conway.

— A very jolly party was in attendance at the dancing assembly last Wednesday evening of the Gilecrest Hook & Ladder company given in their hall on Montvale avenue, they having Joyce's band for music. The dance and excitement was at its height about eleven o'clock when an alarm of fire from Box 45 slightly interfered with the proceedings, though only long enough to allow the truck to depart, when dancing was again resumed as if nothing had occurred.

— The Democrats will have six members of the School Board in any event, and if they had the least spark of generosity in their souls they would all turn to and help elect Hon. John Cummings, Rev. Daniel March, D. D., and John Warren Johnson, who we hope will be the Republican nominees. It would be only fair and just, and we shouldn't wonder if they would do it. We are satisfied that the six Democrats on the Board had rather have the three gentlemen named associated with them than any three Democrats that could be elected.

— It is worth anybody's while to visit the new store of the Boston Clothing Company of which Mr. John C. Buck is manager, especially those who are about to buy spring suits, for it contains an almost endless variety of styles in suits, ranging in price from \$5 to \$50, from which the most fastidious should be able to make choice. There are suits in Scotch woads ranging from \$10 to \$17 that are good enough and handsome enough for Sunday wear, and Mr. Buck tells us these are going very rapidly. There are no better business suits to be had than these, nor at more favorable figures. While outfits from boys at 3 years to adults, of the best quality of goods and right in the style, can be bought at astonishingly low prices. Besides the great number of styles in business suits, there are fine dress suits to be had at less than one-half for what is asked for them in the tailors. In addition Mr. Buck has a full stock of gent's furnishings goods, hats, caps, canes, umbrellas, and everything else kept in a first-class clothing store.

MR. F. H. LEWIS

Is now prepared to receive additional pupils for lessons in Music. The price of Tuition for the remainder of the present season ending June 24, and commencing next week, will be
One lesson per week \$24.
Two lessons per week \$36.
(Payable in advance.)

Woburn, March 31, 1882.

PIANO-FORTE

AND HARMONY INSTRUCTION.

MISS MERTENA L. BANCROFT,

Residence, Franklin St., Woburn. 36-39

— Charles H. Day, the barber, bought a stand on Cambridge street, Boston.

— The town reports arrived on Monday night, and were distributed by the police.

— A fine musical programme is announced for the Unitarian vesper services next Sunday.

— The Democracy of Woburn are not a truly "happy family"; but they will put their best foot forward on Town Meeting day.

— Thomas J. White, Esq. of the firm of White & Waters, met with a severe accident on Monday by a heavy box falling on his foot.

— The time is rapidly approaching when the honest owner of a dog will please walk up to the Captain's office and plank down his \$2 for a license.

— Mrs. Mindwell Taylor fell in front of Smith & Sons store, Wednesday, and was considerably injured. She was taken into Dr. Dodge's drug store and attended to.

— We hear that the Baptist Church are much pleased with Rev. Mr. Simonsen who preached there last Sunday. He made a very favorable impression on his hearers.

— If you are finding a new black silk dress you can find it at C. A. Smith & Sons. Their extra heavy corded silks cannot be matched in Boston at the price they charge for them.

— New buildings are being erected by Minot J. Buckman, Plympton street; Lawrence Brophy, North Warren street; Thos. Gravelle, North Warren street, A. D. Carter, Pine street.

— It is as well settled as anything mundane can well be that Mr. Seely is to be re-elected Town Clerk. That is to say, unless the Republicans nominate somebody else tomorrow evening.

— A young child of Seymour White was missed from home for several hours on Monday, and was found in a house on Church street, it having been taken up, and, being unable to talk, cared for.

— Gross Grain Silks in desirable colors suitable for dresses, and sold at popular prices, are goods which the people of this vicinity ought to appreciate. See if they have not got just what you want at C. A. Smith & Sons.

— Mary E. Brennan, for larceny of a dress and shoes, the property of Ada McLeod, was arrested in Winchester by officers McHugh and Mulken on Monday. Her picture decorates the rogues' gallery in the police office, and Mary goes to Cambridge for six months. John Margie of Stoneham, drunk; and offense: \$5 and costs, went down.

— C. A. Smith & Son have made extra efforts this season to suit the people of this vicinity in their purchases of Dress Goods. They intend to keep a larger share of the dress goods trade at home from Boston, as they are confident that our people can be full as well suited both in quality and price at home. They know that many of their goods are offered at less than Boston prices. They invite you to inspect their stock.

MONTVALE.

A caucus was held here last Tuesday evening to nominate a member of the Board of Selectmen. In a poll of one hundred Mr. Johnson got a majority of one, and it is said he voted for himself. This looks as if he is not a very popular man over here. If he receives the nomination by the committee the fifty who voted against him last Tuesday evening in caucus here will vote for the Republican candidate. The good burghers here are an independent lot on whom party discipline has but little effect.

Preparations for a very successful presentation of the opera of Lailla by the young ladies of Montvale at the Mission Chapel on Wednesday and Thursday evenings of next week, are very nearly completed. Everything is in satisfactory trim and the entertainment promises to be one of great interest and pleasure. Miss Mabel T. Whittemore is assigned the part of Lailla; Miss Stella Lincoln, Fairy Queen; and Miss Nellie Platt, Pianist, while the band of Mountain Children, Fairies, Beggars, etc., will be taken by other Montvale Misses. The outlook for a jam-full house on each evening is flattering, for there will be people from the Centre, Winchester, Stoneham, and all around, for whose convenience to and from there will be ample provision. I can assure the readers of the JOURNAL that the opera will be a very fine thing indeed, and those who fail to witness its presentation will miss one of the best entertainments given in Woburn this season. A large number of tickets have been sold for both evenings. Be it remembered that the doors will be opened at 7.15, and the performance begin at 7.45 sharp. It is to be hoped that ticket-holders will be on hand early as it is the purpose of the managers to reserve seats for them until ten minutes before the commencement of the opera, at which time applicants for admission at the door will be admitted.

"Ruchupaiba"

New, quick, complete cure 4 days, urinary affections, smarting, frequent or difficult urination, kidney diseases. \$1. at druggists. Prepared by express, \$1.25, 6 for \$5. E. S. WELLS, Jersey City, N. J.

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One of the Largest Lines of

SPRING OVERCOATS AND SUITS,

Ever before shown in Woburn at prices that defy competition. In GENTS FURNISHINGS we have a Great Assortment of

White & Fancy Shirts, Linen Collars and Cuffs, Fancy Hosiery, Summer Underwear, Neckwear, Silk and Linen Handkerchiefs.

Also a nice line of

Jewelry,

Including Vest and Fob Chains, Charms, Cuff Buttons, Scarf Pins and Collar Studs. Our

HAT AND CAP DEPARTMENT

—Is now filled with the LEADING SPRING STYLES.

All Goods at the Lowest Cash Prices.

P. O. BLOCK.

C. M. MUNROE, WOBURN.

EDITOR OF THE WOBURN JOURNAL:—The editor of the Woburn Advertiser, last week, gave us quite a dissertation in regard to which is the best interest of the town, license or no license. He contends that the law was not enforced under either rule, and asks if the vote of last Spring did not mean practically, free rum?

He further says, substantially, that the law restraining or restricting the sale of spirituous liquors cannot be enforced; that public sentiment is not in favor of its enforcement, and that our town officers are a weak, inefficient set of men, who have not the power, the will or desire to enforce the law, and that the only way to put down rum-selling and rum-drinking is in resurrecting the old Washingtonian system.

Now, it is very plain to every one in town that the law has not been enforced under either rule; about the same amount of liquor has been sold and drunk under the one as the other; no effort in either case has been made to stop it; rum and beer have been sold and drunk without fear of restraint or being interfered with by the town authorities, and no effort has been put forth to prohibit it.

A law is of no account if not enforced. The license law, if enforced, would stop the sale of liquors in a good measure. If there were no more licensed rumshops in town than the public good requires, there would not be fifty or a hundred licensed rum-sellers in Woburn as there were last year. Neither would there be twice as many unlicensed holes. If all licensed rum-sellers were not allowed to keep open bar, as the law directs, there would not be as many drunkards reeling about our streets as there have been for the last three years. If licensed rum-sellers were not allowed to sell liquor on the Lord's day, as the law directs, there would not be flocks of young men going in and out of the hotel, all day Sundays.

Now, no sensible man, but believes that the law can be enforced, if the town authorities were willing it should be. Open bars and Sunday rum-selling could be prohibited if we had men in office that had any desire that they should be. But men who have no such desire, but rather otherwise, will not do anything to have the law enforced. Therefore rum is sold in hundreds of places in town. Sunday rum-selling and Sunday drunkenness are just as common as other days, and no notice whatever is taken by those who have the authority to put it down if they wished.

In regard to the vote of "no license" last Spring, there may have been those who voted no who knew well enough that no license meant free rum. But that the majority who thus voted so believed I know it is not so. They voted in good faith, and supposed that instead of free rum, there would be a more stringent enforcement of the law, which has been violated every day since, without let or hindrance, and no notice at all taken of it by the authorities of the town. And in this respect, the people of W

Progress.

We are progressing finely with our extensive improvements and notwithstanding we are greatly unsettled we have many New Styles of HATS & BONNETS on exhibition. Two of our Trimmers are now in New York studying up Spring Fashions and in a few days we shall be in excellent order, with an unusual supply of goods, and we shall then expect a great rush of business.

A. CUMMINGS, - - - 150 Main Street, Woburn.

Boston Clothing Company.

Spring Overcoats, \$6 to \$16,
Men's Suits, Great Variety,
\$5.00 to \$28.00.
YOUTH & BOYS' SUITS, \$4 TO \$16.
CHILDREN'S KILTS AND SUITS,
\$2.00 TO \$10.00.

We are constantly adding to our Stock as fast as the goods are manufactured; and when our stock we shall have FIFTY LINES OF MEN'S SUITS.

HATS, CAPS, UMBRELLAS, TRUNKS, RUBBER OVER COATS, ETC., ETC.

J. C. BUCK, - - Manager.

148 Main St., - Opposite the Common.

MEN'S

Unlaundered White Shirts,

AT 75 CENTS.

These shirts are a special bargain at the price mentioned.

MEN'S UNLAUNDERED

(Three-Quartered)

Bleached Shirts,

These Shirts at \$1.00 are Extra Large.

DRESS GOODS.

Please Examine these Goods.

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MISS NELLIE PAINE

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Please call and examine.

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Because they have proved themselves the Best External Remedy ever invented. They will cure asthma, colds, coughs, rheumatism, neuralgia, and any local pains.

Applied to the small of the back, they are infallible in Back-Ache, Nervous Debility, and all Kidney troubles; to the pit of the stomach they are a sure cure for Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint.

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This medicine is a positive cure for Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Kidney Complaint, St. Vitus Dance, and all humors of the blood and skin, also a positive cure for Female Complaints. I defy any one to produce one case either the above named complaints this medicine will not cure. For sale by all Druggists at 75 cts. a bottle.

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It builds up the system, gives health and strength to the feeble, improves the appetite, and works wonders with feeble children or mothers. Be sure and get the genuine and try it. It is used by some of the best physicians in the world.

KINGSELY'S IRON AND MANDRAKE PILLS

are the best cathartic or Spring Medicine you can use. Has been tried for more than 15 years and proved. Druggists have been sold for sale.

HOUSE TO LET.

On Alfred Street. Also a few Pleasant Rooms on the corner of Main and Clinton Street. Apply to A. CLEMENT.

TO LET.

House on Main, near the Depot, containing nine rooms.

Apply at the JOURNAL OFFICE.

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Monday & Tuesday, April 3 & 4.

Having made careful selections of DRESS GOODS and SILKS in both the New York and Boston markets, we are prepared to show the FINEST ASSORTMENT we have ever offered. All are invited.

MONDAY AND TUESDAY,
APRIL 3RD & 4TH.

C. A. SMITH & SON,
175 & 177 Main Street, Woburn, Mass.

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NEW GOODS, LATEST STYLES.

Now opening a Large and Varied assortment of SPRING GOODS for Gentlemen's Wear at

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STATIONERY.

Writing Paper for 3 cents per Quire. A good white Envelope for 6 cts. per Bunch. \$2.75 per thousand, with address printed in corner.

POCKET-BOOKS.

For Ladies and Gentlemen. Also a full line of long BILL BOOKS from 50 cts. Upward. JOB LOT, 50 Cts. marked down from 75c., \$1.00 & \$1.50.

CUTLERY.

POCKET KNIVES, all prices from cheapest to the best. RAZORS, including Wade & Butcher's, & Erystrum's Swedish Razors, Scissors and Table Ware.

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\$66 a week in your own town. \$5 outfit. No risk. Everything new. Capital not required, we furnish everything. Many are making fortunes. Ladies make great pay. If you want a business at which you can make great pay all the time write for particulars to H. HALEY & CO., Portland, Me.

NEW

PRINTS

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs at Law and others interested in the estate of Patrick W. Kinney, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased.

GREETING:

WHEREAS James Houston, Andrew B. Porter and James E. Ball, executors of the will of said deceased, have presented to said Court their petition for license to sell the whole of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of legacies and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition.

You are hereby notified to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Tuesday of April next, at nine o'clock A.M., to show cause, if any you have, against the same; and said petitioners are ordered to show this citation by publishing the same in the Woburn Journal, a newspaper printed at Woburn, the last published issue of which is dated the 29th of March, 1882, and by mailing a copy of the same to each of the persons named in the petition.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

WM. WINN & CO., - Auctioneers.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

BY virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage Deed given by John A. Carroll and John Carroll to Alexander Beal, dated March 20, 1871, and recorded in Middlesex County South District Registry of Deeds, Lib. 115, Fol. 306, the said mortgagee, for breach of condition of said mortgage, do hereby give notice of public sale, to be held on the premises described in said mortgage, on Monday the 24th day of April, A. D. 1882, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, all the premises described in said mortgage, situated in the town of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and bounded and contained in a lot of land of said Beal and formerly of Henry A. Cooke; thence northerly by land of said Cooke, or Sewall and heirs of Abner Martin, to the road fronting on the said premises, a strip of four feet on said road, to the point of beginning, with all the privileges and appurtenances thereto in anywise belonging.

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BY virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage Deed given by John A. Carroll and John Carroll to Alexander Beal, dated March 20, 1871, and recorded in Middlesex County South District Registry of Deeds, Lib. 115, Fol. 306, the said mortgagee, for breach of condition of said mortgage, do hereby give notice of public sale, to be held on the premises described in said mortgage, on Monday the 24th day of April, A. D. 1882, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, all the premises described in said mortgage, situated in the town of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and bounded and contained in a lot of land of said Beal and formerly of Henry A. Cooke; thence northerly by land of said Cooke, or Sewall and heirs of Abner Martin, to the road fronting on the said premises, a strip of four feet on said road, to the point of beginning, with all the privileges and appurtenances thereto in anywise belonging.

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From Boston to Winchester 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.15, 10.15, 11.30, A. M.; 12.10, 1.15, 2.30, 3.15, 4.30, 5.15, 6.15, 7.30, 8.30, 9.15, 10.15, 11.30, P. M.

From Winchester to Boston 6.03, 6.23, 6.38, 7.08, 7.40, 8.24, 8.38, 9.08, 9.10, 10.23, 11.43, A. M.; 1.23, 1.37, 2.37, 3.23, 4.09, 4.57, 5.11, 5.30, 6.07, 6.23, 6.42, 8.40, 10.23, 10.36, P. M.

*Wednesdays only.

WINCHESTER.

The Board of Health was voted \$50. Several ladies voted for School Committee last Monday.

It is said that we are to have another grocery store here. The more the merrier. "That the effort to displace A. C. Quimby will not succeed."—Star. So much for the Star's prophetic gifts.

There was only one ticket voted for last Town Meeting day. You Woburn folks are not so harmonious as that.

New Town By-Laws are take the place of the present set, and to be given to the people with next Town Report.

The Cemetery Committee is authorized to enlarge the receiving tomb in Wildwood Cemetery, or build a new one.

The School Committee is required to appoint a Superintendent of Schools at an annual expense of not more than \$1,000.

Judge Littlefield has returned from his trip West, which he doubtless enjoyed. He is looking well and I should say he is hearty.

Arrangements for the re-union of the High School Association go bravely on, and the prospect for a refreshing season is first rate.

A fire, about 1 o'clock Thursday morning, destroyed a barn of Mr. W. Langford at the foot of Oak street. Loss, \$300; insurance, \$200.

The voters at Town Meeting voted to accept the act of the Legislature authorizing the town to issue additional Water Bonds.

The Star opposed the election of Mr. Nelson Skillings to a seat on the Water Board. He was elected. So much for the influence of the Star.

Our people began to feel before election that they had been dammed about all they cared to stand by the correspondents of the Star. Hope the end has come.

The Cemetery Committee met on last Tuesday evening and organized by the choice of George S. Stratton as Chairman, and H. F. Johnson as Clerk and Treasurer.

It is the talk now that the Unitarian Society will give Rev. C. J. Staples a call to become their pastor. He stands high in the esteem of the members, and if invited it will be by a unanimous vote.

That it is not according to journalistic courtesy for Brother Hobbs to allow an anonymous contributor to use personal language towards a professional brother.—Star.

Didn't know that our Winchester scribe had been guilty of the discourtesy alleged. Suppose he had, in a moment of mental and moral aberration, declared that Mr. Arthur Fultz, editor of the Star, is a gentleman, a scholar, master of several languages, and a writer of multifarious and multifarious gifts, would any exceptions have been taken to this "use of personal language towards a professional brother?"—[Ed. JOURNAL.]

I am very glad to be able to inform you that Winchester did the handsome thing, on the temperance question at the Town Meeting last Monday. There was a good majority of "Nos" when the ballots were counted which does the job for license for another year. Our "No License" people were out in force and showed their faith by their works. Eliminate the foreign element from her population and Winchester would be a model temperance town, and even with a handsome majority of our voters are opposed to licensing the awful evil of the cursed traffic in Rum—as was shown on Town Meeting day. This happy result is due a good deal to the beneficial influence of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, the Reform Club, and the active and well-directed zeal of some of our prominent townsmen. "No License" is the rule here, and it speaks well for the intelligence and morality of our handsome town.

At the Town Meeting held last Monday, the following officers were elected and business transacted.—The meeting was one of the most spirited that has been held for years, the water question having created a strong interest and engendered some bad feelings. There was a heap of work done with this result—a very good one. I should say: Moderator, John D. Wilson; Selectmen, Highway Surveyors and Overseers of the Poor, Albert Ayer, Warren Johnson and Charles H. Dunham; Assessors, Albert Ayer, Mial Cushman and George W. Burr; Collector, Mial Cushman; Treasurer, John T. Manny; Board of Health, Abraham B. Coffin, Frederick Winsor and Edward A. Brackett; Water Board, James F. DeWinnell for three years, David N. Skillings for two years; Auditors, Stephen Thompson, Edward H. Stone, Thomas S. Spurr; School Committee, Eleanor Huse, Edwin A. Wadleigh, three years, James Russell, one year. No license was voted. Agricultural: Highways and Bridges, \$7,500; Poor, \$3,000; Incumbents, \$3,000; Military Aid, \$300; Fire Department, \$2,500; Library, \$1,000; Cemetery, \$1,200; Memorial Day, \$125; Town Officers, \$3,200; School purposes, \$15,150; Prudential Committee, \$50; Superintendent, \$1,000; Health, \$50; Town Notes, \$8,350; addition to Grammar School house, \$4,000. The Treasurer was authorized to hire \$350 in anticipation of taxes of \$35,000 appropriated from water rates for water purposes. Adjourned till Saturday evening.

Cured a 30 Year Invalid. No. 422 Eutaw Street, Baltimore. Mary Land.—Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y. Dear Sir—My wife was a hopeless invalid for nearly twenty years. Your "Favorite Prescription" has cured her.

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LITERARY NOTICES.

ST. NICHOLAS opens with a charming frontispiece picture, illustrating a timely little poem by Mary Mapes Dodge, entitled "An April Girl." "Brigham, the Cave-dog," is an account of a clever animal that was lost in the Mammoth Cave of Kentucky, but found his way out after wandering for thirty-six hours among a maze of pitfalls and dark windings. Mrs. Abby Morton Diaz contributes "The Story of Wange Pah and the White Elephant," an illustrated sketch of Siamese life. "Lord Malapert of Moonshine Castle," is a bright comedy for children, by E. S. Brooks. It is easy to learn, not difficult to get up, does not require many speaking characters, and bids fair to be popular with our younger Thespians. The veracious legend of "Mr. Weathercock" is given by "Aunt Fanny" Barrow. Walter Saterlee has drawn four page illustrations for some wretched stanza, called "Lament of the Cat-tail." Dr. Eggleston's serial, "The Hoosier School-boy," and the "Recollections of a Drummer-boy," by Harry M. Kieffer, are brought, all too soon, to their conclusions, in stirring and spirited installments, and "Donald and Dorothy" have a grand good time in their "House Picnic." The illustrated "Northern Myth" stories are continued with the legend of "The Hoard of the Swartthy Elves." Of interest to many readers will be Deacon Green's report on "Historical Pl." with the names of the one hundred prize-winners, and the long roll of honor. Mary N. Prescott, Margaret Johnson and Margaret Vandegrift are among those who contribute poems and sketches, and there are drawings by J. Wells Champney, Walter Shirlaw, Addie Ledyard, J. G. Francis, and Jessie McDermott.

The April number of OUR LITTLE ONES contains twenty articles, each one accompanied with a single or several beautiful pictures. The stories, poetry, etc., are all bright, sparkling, and will please the children immensely. So also will the illustrations. OUR LITTLE ONES is published by Russell Publishing Co., 149 Tremont street, Boston, at \$1.50 a year.

GOLDEN DAYS for April is a sterling number. This large and handsome monthly is designed especially "for Boys and Girls," but older people will find it one of the most interesting published. Its literature is clean and of a high standard, while the illustrations are fresh and in the best style of the art. GOLDEN DAYS is published by James Elverson, Philadelphia.

News and Notes.

Gen. Butler refuses to engage in Guiteau's case. He knows better.

Good health is the greatest of fortunes; no remedy has so often restored this prize to the suffering, as Hood's Sarsaparilla. Try it.

Gardiner, Me. had a \$50,000 fire on Tuesday.

The harsh aspect of the autumnal gray, which betokens the shady side of life, is easily modified by the use of Ayer's Hair Vigor.

Boston is all carried away with the Mexican Greasers called Zunis Indians. They are a new "Boston Notion."

Because it adds to personal beauty by restoring color and lustre to gray or faded hair, and is beneficial to the scalp, is why Parker's Hair Balsam is such a popular dressing.

The Tariff Commission Bill passed U. S. Senate on Tuesday. There is the usual amount of Democratic howling over it.

That poor bedridden, invalid wife, sister, mother or daughter can be made the picture of health by a few bottles of Hop Bitters. Will you let them suffer when so easily cured.

The Boston Post thinks it was a great pity that there was not a sea serpent or some sharks handy while the Zunis Indians were performing their religious rites down the harbor the other day. Wicked Post.

Death to rats, mice, roaches and ants; PARSON'S EXTERMINATOR. Burns, granaries and households cleared in a single night. No fear of bad smells. Best and cheapest vermin killer in the world. Sold everywhere.

The Charlestown News goes for the Herald for all there is out on the Congressional question.

Mrs. Lydia E. Pinkham, 233 Western Avenue, Lynn, Mass., is rapidly acquiring an enviable reputation for the surprising cures which result from the use of her Vegetable Compound in all female diseases. Send to her for pamphlets.

Blaine isn't floored yet by a long chalk on that Chili-Peru business. The President and Sec'y of State will find him the "upper dog in the fight" all the time.

The remarkable success which is attending Dr. F. E. GREENE, of 34 Temple Place, Boston, in the cure of diseases peculiar to females, is without parallel. We should advise our lady readers suffering from this class of diseases to consult him without delay.

Senator Ben Hill's doctor says he is on the mend. As his disease is a cancerous affection of the tongue some will be sorry that he is getting better.

Sydney Smith being ill, his physician advised him to "take a walk upon an empty stomach." "Upon whose?" asked Sydney. Still better steps to take would be the purchase of Dr. R. V. Pierce's "Golden Medical Discovery" and "Pleasant Purgative Pellets," which are especially valuable to those who are obliged to lead sedentary lives, or are afflicted with any chronic disease of the stomach or bowels. By druggists.

Henry M. Newhall, a native of Saugus, recently died in San Francisco leaving to his family \$2,000,000.

It is useless to deny that the brightest and fairest fall easy victims to consumption, and equally fruitless to ignore the fact that degeneration has its origin in many cases in neglected catarrh. Sanford's Radical Cure is a pure sweet, balsamic specific.

Lowell has a line of Herdic coaches.

It is rumored that the President will not sign the anti-Chinese bill. He's a fool if he does.

Washington office-seekers are notified that only stalwarts need apply.

Senator Hoar asks for a large appropriation from Congress with which to educate Indian children.

Jay Gould is conquering more telegraph lines.

Ex-Gov. Moses of South Carolina was arrested again for swindling. He was a gascally fellow when Governor, and has grown no better very fast since coming to New York.

There are in Arkansas alone 21,000 destitute people caused by the flood. Things are in a terrible state there.

NEW BOOKS.

EUROPEAN BUSINESS. By Maria J. Pitman. Boston: Lee & Shepard.

This book on foreign travel is very properly called "Breezes," for it is the breeziest description of places and persons visited and met in a European tour that we have seen. Generally this sort of literary product has become exceedingly stale, flat and unprofitable; but the author of "Breezes" strikes out in a new direction and makes a very entertaining book of it. Picture galleries, churches, studios, and all such hackneyed themes are left out of it, and in their stead the reader is furnished just those things he most wants to know about, but which tourists on stilts never mention. We are told, in a racy way, all about hotels and their prices, railroad travel; incidents of journeys are piquantly narrated, and so all through the book. Briefly

